

1921-1926

TOWN WARRANT

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose all necessary Town officers and Committees. The vote for Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, School Committee, Cemetery Commissioner, Town House Committee, Trustees of Fay Library, Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden, Constables and Advisory Committee: to be on one ballot.

The following officers to be chosen by ballot are: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Selectman for three years, one member of School Committee for three years, one Assessor for three years, Overseer of the Poor for three years, Tree Warden, Three Members of the Town House Committee, one member of the Board of Health for three years, two members of the Advisory Committee for three years, one member of the Advisory Committee for one year, Highway Surveyor for one year.

Art. 3. To vote by ballot, Yes or No, on the following questions:

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town.

Shall the action of the Town, whereby it voted to elect a Highway Surveyor be revoked, and a Board of Highway Commissioners be elected at the Annual Town Meeting, in the year 1923. One Commissioner for three years, one for two years, and one for one year.

The Polls will be opened at 6.45 of the clock, in the forenoon, and may be closed at 3 of the clock, in the afternoon of said day.

Action on other articles in the Warrant and other business will be taken up at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Art. 4. To hear reports of Town officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Art. 5. To see what action the Town will take regarding special repairs on Marlborough Road, Framingham Road and Newton Street, and appropriate money for the same, or do or act thereon.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 22 and 23 of Chapter 39 of the General Laws, providing for the election of Town officers, and of town business, or do or act thereon.

Art. 7. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town's use, and pass any vote respecting the same.

Art. 8. To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog money.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars, to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, for Memorial Day and decorating Soldiers' graves.

Art. 10. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 25, Section 16, of the Revised Laws, or do or act thereon.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for Band Concerts, the coming year or do or act thereon.

Art. 12. To determine wages to be paid Town employees and price for teams employed by the town for the ensuing year, or do or act thereon.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase Power for the Stone Crusher, or do or act thereon.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to motorize the Fire Apparatus at Fayville and Southville, or do or act thereon.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will appropriate from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer, a sum, not to exceed \$1,050.00, to be used for the payment of outstanding 1921 bills for following departments:

Board of Health, salaries and bills payable	\$177.00
Library, bills payable	89.79
Town Hall, bills payable	43.72
Poor Department, salaries and bills payable	350.00
Fayville Hall, bills payable	41.57
Fire Department, bills payable	256.94
Cemetery Comm., salaries	50.00
Sealer of W. and M., balance for rent	51.46
Town Clerk, salaries and expense	28.15

\$1,088.63

Recommendation by Advisory Committee of the above appropriation.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Accountant to charge the ledger overdrafts of \$1,416.71 on account of Highways and \$421.89 on account of Tree Warden Departments, on account of brush removal expenditure, against the Overlay Reserve Fund of \$2,603.40.

Recommendation of Advisory Committee.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the purchase of a Steam Roller, or pass any vote regarding Road Roller and appropriate money therefor.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of eighteen hundred dollars, to be expended for the purchase of milk for the School Children, or do or act thereon.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars to pay the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, "Worcester County Farm Bureau," in accordance with the provisions of and for the purpose of Chapter 273 of the Acts of 1918, or do or act thereon.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will choose a director in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 273 of the Acts of 1918, Section 1, to serve one year, or pass any vote respecting same.

FORTY-EIGHTH

ANNUAL REPORT

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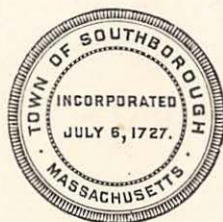
Town Officers

OF

Southborough, Massachusetts

For the Year Ending December 31

1921



SOUTHBOROUGH PRINT SHOP
SOUTHBOROUGH, MASSACHUSETTS

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

To the Chairman and Members of the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: — I submit herewith, report of the town finances for the year ending December 31, 1921.

The books and accounts of the Treasurer, Tax Collector, and Cemetery Commissioners have been examined and checked.

The Collector's accounts for 1920 taxes show a variation of \$4.58 and 1921 account of \$5.00 as compared with my records, which are due to duplications and differences in the tabulation of warrants received from assessors. My records also show an over-payment of 69c on 1919 taxes and a balance due of 80c on the moth assessment for the same year, a net difference of 11c due the town for that year.

The appropriation of \$2500.00 for Reserve Fund was not sufficient to take care of demands on it, due chiefly to increased expenditure for Fire Department and Overseers of the Poor.

We have accordingly been obliged to hold up payment on approximately \$850.00 unpaid bills as listed in my report, for which appropriation should be made in addition to regular 1922 grants.

Acting under instructions from the Selectmen, the Tree Warden and Highway departments have expended amounts that would be in excess of their regular appropriations, for the emergency removal of brush and damaged trees, wires, etc., from the recent sleet storm. This money has been paid from funds in the hands of the town treasurer and I would suggest that in order to balance my ledger accounts for highways and tree warden, a vote; to charge the expenditure of \$1838.60 overdraft, to Overlay Reserve Fund.

Department heads are again requested to have all bills sent to the town for purchases, plainly marked with the department or person making the purchase and have all bills itemized in full.

The Selectmen pass warrants for payment of all town accounts on the first and third Friday evenings of each month and bills for payment, should be sent in before these regular payment dates.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. BAGLEY.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR 1921

Department	Appropriation	Added	Total	Expended	Balance
General Government					
Selectmen	500.00		500.00	406.30	93.70
Accountant	225.00		225.00	219.18	5.88
Treasurer	350.00		350.00	298.26	51.74
Collector	475.00		475.00	457.30	17.70
Assessors	975.00		975.00	943.66	31.34
Other Finance	10.00		10.00	8.00	2.00
Law	250.00	33.25	283.25	283.25	
Town Clerk	325.00		325.00	325.00	
Election and Reg.	500.00		500.00	310.00	190.00
Town Hall	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00	
Town Hall Repairs	250.00		250.00	230.10	19.90
Protection of Property					
Police	300.00		300.00	285.03	14.97
Fire Dept.	800.00	870.01	1,670.01	1,607.01	63.00
Firemen's Services	687.50		687.50		687.50
Sealer of W. and M.	150.00		150.00	150.00	
Tree Warden—Moth	4,000.00		4,000.00	4,477.97*	
Health					
Board of Health	400.00	89.26	489.26	489.26	
Inspection of Animals	200.00		200.00	200.00	
Highways					
General Repairs	11,500.00	288.50	11,788.50	10,270.75	1,517.75
Removal of Brush		1,585.63	1,585.63	1,585.63	
Street Oil	2,000.00	978.37	2,978.37	2,978.37	
Fences and Bridges	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,141.27	358.73
Willow Bridge	1,000.00	8.23	1,008.23	1,008.23	
Cherry Street	400.00	60.00	460.00	460.00	
Snow Removal	1,000.00		1,000.00	681.64	318.38
Street Lights	4,901.00		4,901.00	4,350.77	550.23

Charities and Benefits					
Poor Dept.	2,000.00	1,181.79	3,181.79	3,181.79	
State Aid and Ma.	700.00		700.00	649.16	50.84
Education					
Schools	31,500.00		31,500.00	31,015.81	484.19
Special Repairs	1,770.00		1,770.00	1,608.18	161.82
New Equipment	525.00		525.00	385.56	139.44
Insurance	544.19	94.99	595.19	578.19	16.00
Trade Schools	500.00	94.99	594.99	594.99	
Truant Support		190.88	190.88	190.88	
Libraries					
Library	1,700.00	68.25	1,768.25	1,749.55	13.70
Unclassified					
Reserve Fund	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,439.93	60.07
Fayville Hall	350.00		350.00	341.84	8.16
Playgrounds	75.00		75.00		75.00
Swimming Pool	75.00	58.40	133.40	133.40	
Common and T. H. Gds.	250.00		250.00	242.23	7.77
Band Concerts	300.00		300.00	300.00	
Worc. Cty. Farm Bur.	250.00		250.00	250.00	
Memorial Day	100.00		100.00	100.00	
G. A. R. Relief	50.00		50.00		50.00
Town Reports	200.00	52.20	252.20	252.20	
P. J. O'Rielly Award	200.00		200.00		200.00
Penalties for returns		15.00	15.00	15.00	
Town Pound Repairs		18.78	18.78	18.78	
Cemeteries					
Cemetery Dept.	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,980.95	19.05
Interest					
On Notes and Bonds	854.50		854.50	834.25	20.25
On Revenue Loans	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,132.00	68.00
Indebtedness					
To Retire 2 Bonds	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00	
To Retire 3 Notes	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,000.00	
	\$86,392.19				

RECEIPTS

TAXES

Taxes of 1921

Poll	2,434.00	
Personal	14,677.15	
Real Estate	48,655.88	65,767.03

Previous years

Poll	120.00	
Personal	322.39	
Real Estate	5,267.59	5,709.98
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FROM STATE

Metro Water & S. B'd	2,573.04	
Bank Tax	6,789.59	
Corporation Tax	8,027.76	
Street R. R. Tax	13.17	
Income Tax, 1921	4,628.96	
Income Tax, Prev. Yrs.	983.00	
Income Tax, Sch'l Fd.	2,407.50	25,423.02

LICENSES

Junk	10.00	
From State	12.00	22.00

FINES

Court	100.00	100.00
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GRANTS AND GIFTS

From State

Mass. School Fund	827.67	
Union Supt.	578.63	
Labor-Industries	6.00	
Vocational Education	228.18	
Civilian War Poll Tax	9.00	
High School Tuition	1,135.71	2,785.19

From County

Dog Licenses		407.29
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SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

Moth Assessments

1921	341.82	
Previous Years	79.78	
Franchise Tax	365.00	786.60

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Hall

Rent Received		400.18
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PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Reimbursements

Fire Dept.	42.20	
Inspection Animals	100.00	
Sealer of W. & M.	23.61	
State, insect Pest	26.88	
Tree Warden, Spray.	564.99	
Tree Warden, sale of material	31.14	788.82

HIGHWAYS

Reimbursements

For Private Work	80.00	
Sale of Oil Barrels	49.00	
From State, labor	71.20	
Sale, stone crusher	5.00	
Sale, street oil	21.37	226.57

CHARITIES

Reimbursements

By State		
For Mother's Aid	104.00	104.00

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Reimbursements

By State		
For State Aid	444.00	

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For Military Aid	72.00	
For Soldier's Exe'pt.	60.31	576.31

EDUCATION

Tuition, State Wards	624.10	
Tuition, Town of		
Hopkinton	160.00	
Sale of Material	159.00	
Rent of Hall	7.00	950.10

LIBRARIES

Fines	28.08	
Transfer from Trust Fd.	68.25	96.33

UNCLASSIFIED

Fayville Hall		
Rent received		108.00

CEMETERIES

From Cemetery Commissioners		
Care of Lots & Graves	430.00	
Burials	243.00	
Sale of Lots & Graves,		
For Rural Cemetery		
Res. Fund	240.00	
Trust Funds,		
Charges Apportioned	551.05	1,464.05

INTEREST

On General Balances	205.71	
1921 Tax account	63.74	
1920 Tax account	195.43	
1919 Tax account	177.97	642.85

On Trust Funds,

Perpetual Care Dep.	535.37	
Willson Charity Fund	60.00	
Fay Library Fund	64.68	
Rural Cemetery Res.		
Fund	16.87	676.92

Total of Revenue Receipts, brought forw'd \$107,035.24

NON REVENUE RECEIPTS

Loans,

In Anticipation of Revenue	35,000.00
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AGENCY AND TRUST

State and County Receipts
are included in the gen-
eral Tax Collections

Perpetual Care Funds,
Deposits received

850.00

REFUNDS

Fire Dept., overpayment	18.00	
Cemetery, overpayment	10.10	
Highways, for labor	48.00	76.10

TRANSFERS

Law Dept. from Reserve Fund	33.25	
Town Reports from Reserve Fund	52.20	
Town Pound from Reserve Fund	18.78	
Fire Dept. from Reserve Fund	809.81	
Truant Support from Reserve Fund	190.88	
Health, from Reserve Fund	89.26	
Swimming Pool from Reserve Fund	58.40	
Poor Dept. from Reserve Fund	1,181.79	
Street Oil, from Reserve Fund	5.56	
Highways, from Cemetery	23.50	
Highways, from Common & T. H. Grounds	92.00	
Cherry Street, from Highways	60.00	
Willow Bridge, from Highways	125.00	
Highways, from Willow Bridge	8.23	
Trade Schools, from Schools	94.99	
Town Hall, from T. H. Repairs	92.10	2,935.75

BALANCES

January 1, 1921,	
General Cash	9,010.43
Interest on Cem. Tr. Fnds.	329.08

Willson Fund	162.33	
Fay Library Fund	10.87	
Rural Cem. Reserve Fund	1,247.82	
Perpetual Care Uninvested	100.00	10,860.53
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Total of Non Revenue Receipts		\$49,722.38
Total of Revenue Receipts, brought forw'd		\$107,035.24
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Total of all Receipts and Balances for 1921		\$156,757.62

PAYMENTS, 1921

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Selectmen's Department,

Salaries and wages,

Selectmen	300.00
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Clerk	50.00
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Other expenses,

Perambulations	10.00
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Auto Hire	3.00
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Telephone	5.55
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Printing and Sta.	19.25
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Care Town Dump	15.00
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All other expenses	3.50	406.30
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Accounting Department,

Salaries and wages,

Accountant	200.00
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Other expenses,

Supplies	5.80
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Printing and Sta.	13.32	219.12
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Treasurer's Department,

Salaries and wages,

Treasurer	200.00
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Other expenses,		
Surety Bond	40.00	
Auto Hire	10.00	
Postage and Sta.	48.26	298.26

Collector's Department,		
Salaries and wages,		
Collector	300.00	
Other Expense,		
Surety Bond	100.00	
Printing and sta.	57.30	457.30

Assessor's Department,		
Salaries and wages,		
Assessors	577.50	
Other expenses,		
Printing Valuat'ns	222.50	
Team Hire	5.00	
Poll Tax Lists	82.00	
Abstracts	26.46	
Auto Lists	7.00	
Printing and sta.	23.20	943.66

Other Finance Accounts,		
Certification of Notes		8.00
Law Department,		
Town Counsel	269.25	
Other Expense	14.00	283.25

Town Clerk's Department,

Salaries and wages,

Town Clerk (part) 240.85

Other expense,

Recording fees 63.00

Printing and sta. 21.15 325.00

Election and Registration,

Salaries and wages,

Registrars (part) 70.84

Election officers 50.00

Other expense,

Printing and sta. 84.00

Team hire 4.38

Express charges 2.78

Meals for election

officers 56.00

New voting booths 42.00 310.00

Town Hall

Salaries and wages,

Janitor 399.90

Other expense,

Fuel 435.13

Lights and power 86.13

Removal of ashes 28.00

Repairs 172.09

Piano repairs 7.00

Insurance	93.60	
Water trough	8.25	1,230.10

Total of General Government payments \$4,480.99

PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Police Department,

Salaries and wages,

Constables	158.00
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Other expense,

Court	96.28
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Auto hire	30.75	285.03
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Fire Department,

Salaries and wages,

Firemen's payrolls	59.00
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Forest Fires	114.75
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Convention expense	5.00
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Other expense,

Apparatus, repairs	37.10
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Hose, repairs	20.10
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New Equipment,

Ford R'dster Equip.	350.00
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Paint'g, ladder trail.	25.00
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Hose Rack	10.00
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Lettering	3.00
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Coats, hats, boots	40.00
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Straps	5.12
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Rent and Storage	199.44
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Fuel 173.97

Light—power 24.73

Buildings

Repairs 70.67

Electrical repairs 49.23

New Furnace 449.00

Locks and keys 7.25

Printing and sta. 14.50

Gas and Oil 3.45

Lunches 8.70 1,670.01

Sealer of Weights and Measures,

Salaries and wages,

Sealer 75.00

Other expense,

Insurance 38.96

Travel 25.00

Rent and Equip. 11.04 150.00

Forestry Department,

Salaries and wages,

Tree Warden 25.00

Clerk Hire 16.50

Labor payrolls 2,641.38

Other Expense,

Equipment 17.38

Supplies 21.87

Repairs 2.25

Insurance 10.50 2,734.88

Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth,

Salaries and wages,

Labor payrolls 1,284.69

Teams 344.07

Other Expense,

Supplies and rep's. 17.15

Gas and Oil 41.10

Paid to State 56.08 1,743.09

Total for Protection of Persons and Property \$6,583.01

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Board of Health,

Salaries and wages,

Board of Health (not paid)

Other Expense,

State Infirmary 366.00

Supplies 6.43

Transportation 27.00

Watchman's services 89.83 489.26

Inspection of Animals,

Salaries and wages,

Inspector 200.00 200.00

Total for Health and Sanitation \$689.26

HIGHWAYS

Administration,

Salaries and wages,

Surveyor	770.00	
Other Expense,		
Printing	11.50	
Use of Horse	224.00	
General Repairs,		
Labor	4,941.41	
Team Hire	2,694.60	
Stone and gravel	355.85	
Tile Pipe	128.82	
Posts	89.25	
Lumber	23.40	
Cement	5.60	
Oil and Gasolene	151.78	
Registration plates	10.00	
Freight charges	58.05	
Miscellaneous sup.	49.47	
Equipment,		
Road Drag	549.50	
Other Equipment	100.55	
Repairs to equip.	84.30	
Street Signs,		
Repairs	21.67	10,270.75
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Oil,		
4 Carloads	2,692.37	
(29,876 gallons)		
Patching compo'nd	286.00	2,978.37
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Brush Removal,		

Labor	1,280.88	
Teams	302.50	
Other expense	2.25	1,585.63

Willow Bridge Fence,

Surveyor	60.00	
Labor	728.50	
Teams	77.33	
Lumber	125.00	
Paint	17.40	1,008.23

Cherry Street Sidewalk,

Surveyor	60.00	
Labor	229.00	
Teams	135.00	
Gravel	36.00	460.00

Fences and Bridges,

Highway Surveyor	70.00	
Use of Horse	10.00	
Labor	673.89	
Teams	54.38	
Lumber	167.93	
Cement	9.20	
Supplies	7.32	
Tile Pipe	20.16	
Flagman's services	22.66	
Tozier Bridge rep's	105.73	1,141.27

(Repairs by Town
of Ashland, 1/2 to-
tal paid by Town
of Southboro)

Snow Removal,		
Superintendent	41.25	
Labor	404.25	
Teams	218.94	
Equipment	17.20	681.64

Street Lights,		
Marlboro Electric		
Co.	4,350.77	
State Highway Tax,		
Maintenance	738.20	

Total of payments for Highway expense	23,213.86
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CHARITIES

Poor Department	
Salaries and wages,	
Overseers (not paid)	
Other Expense,	
Groceries and	
Provisions	181.98
Board and care	672.10
Medical Treatment	540.40
Fuel and light	16.50
State Institutions	27.00

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Travel expense	10.00	
Relief by other towns	558.51	
Mother's aid, cash paid	1,175.00	3,181.79

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

State Aid	378.00	
Military Aid	204.00	
Cash aid	67.16	649.16
Total for Charities and Soldiers' Benefits		3,830.95

EDUCATION

School Department,		
Administration,		
Salaries and Wages,		
School Com'ittee	300.00	
Other Expense,		
Postage	10.50	
All other expense	40.19	
Superintendent	854.15	
Supt. Expense	129.38	1,334.22
Teachers,		
High School	5,815.00	
Elementary	10,230.04	
Music	335.00	

Drawing	275.00	
Domestic Science	624.00	
Manual Training	1,155.00	18,434.04
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Books,		
High School	473.49	
Elementary	381.76	855.25
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Supplies,		
High School	292.78	
Elementary	689.38	982.16
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Tuition,		
Elementary	30.00	30.00
Transportation,		
Automobile	2,479.00	
Electric cars	1,105.93	3,584.93
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Janitors		
High	1,033.28	
Elementary	1,262.60	2,295.88
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Fuel and light		
Fuel	2,554.77	
Light and power	114.31	2,669.08
Buildings and Grounds,		
High School, rep'rs.	34.68	
Janitor's supplies	49.58	

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Profession'l services	13.00	
All other	32.05	129.39

Elementary, repairs	32.70	
Janitor's supplies	91.16	
Carting water	18.00	
Care of Trees	19.00	
Cess Pools	27.00	
Crane and fixture	6.00	
Sand	1.25	
Profession'l services	13.50	208.61

General Expenses,		
School Census	50.00	
Medical Inspection	100.00	
Dental Inspection	50.00	
School Nurse	140.00	
Medical Supplies	3.95	343.95

All other expense,		
Graduations	49.20	
Misc. Printing	53.17	
Exp. and frgt. chgs.	21.16	
Boiler Inspection	6.00	
Sundries	5.77	135.30

Furniture		
Elementary		13.00
New Equipment,		

Tables and Chairs	49.53	
Typewriters	249.09	
Sewing Machine	39.52	
Other equipment	47.42	385.56

Special Repairs,

Electrical Contract	202.04	
Painting	212.49	
Window Shades	52.00	
Fire Alarm System	124.50	
Fire Escapes	215.00	
Plumbing	133.98	
Carpenter's conts.	235.87	
Masonry and stage work	428.80	
All other expense	3.50	1,608.18

Other Educational Expense,

Insurance	578.19
Support of Truants	190.88
Trade School Tuition	594.99

Total of 1921 School Expenditure	\$34,373.61
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LIBRARY

Salaries and Wages,

Librarian	328.80
Assistants	91.63

Janitors	322.50	742.93
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Books and Periodicals,		
Books	219.35	
Periodicals	71.00	290.35
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Transportation,		
Books		53.00
Bindings,		
Books	53.30	
Periodicals	27.10	80.40
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Fuel and Light,		
Fuel	471.35	
Light	44.76	516.11
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Buildings and Grounds,		
Repairs	12.50	
Care of Gr'ds, ashes	22.00	
Janitor's supplies	7.46	41.96
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Other Expenses,		
Postage, sta.	9.85	
Printing	11.00	
Express chgs.	1.20	
Sundries	2.75	24.80
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Total of payments for Libraries		\$1,749.55

RECREATION

Parks and Play Grounds,

Common and Town

House Gds.

Labor 150.23

Highway Dept. lab. 92.00 242.23

Play Grounds,

(no payments)

Swimming Pool,

Cleaning 119.60

Repairs to bath h'se 3.80

Insurance 10.00 133.40

Band Concerts,

Six concerts 300.00

Total payments for Recreation

\$675.63

UNCLASSIFIED

Fayville Hall,

Janitor Services 110.50

Lights 32.83

Fuel 189.51

Supplies 4.00

Repairs 5.00 341.84

Memorial Day,

Cash paid Q.M., G.A.R. 100.00

Documents,		
Town Reports	243.20	
Postage	6.00	
Auto hire	3.00	252.20
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Other Expenditure,		
Worcester County Farm		
Bureau, cash		250.00
Repairs to Town P'd		18.78
State Returns, penalty		15.00
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Total for Unclassified accounts payments		\$977.82

CEMETERIES

Administration,		
Salaries and wages,		
Commissioners (not paid)		
Superintendent	200.00	
Labor	1,611.75	
Other Expense,		
Equipment	67.50	
Fertilizer	48.00	
Supplies	30.20	
Highway Dept. lab.	23.50	
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Total Payments for Cemeteries		\$1,980.95

INTEREST

Interest paid on,		
Revenue Loans	1,132.00	
School Bonds	160.00	
Stone Crusher Loan	294.25	
Fire Engine Loan	300.00	
Library Notes	80.00	1,966.25
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Perpetual Care Interest,		
Charges apportioned against	551.05	
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Total of payments of interest		\$2,517.30
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Total of all Revenue payments, carried for'd	\$81,072.93	

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Non-Revenue Accounts.

Loans,

In Anticipation of Revenue	35,000.00	
Stone Crusher Tractor Loan	1,000.00	
School Bonds	2,000.00	
Library Notes	1,000.00	
Fire Engine Loan	1,000.00	40,000.00
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AGENCY AND TRUST

Agency

State Tax	9,090.60
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County Tax	3,596.00	12,676.60
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Trust,

Perpetual Care Deposits, invested	950.00	
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Rural Cem. Res. Fund, improve- ments	875.93	
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Fay Library Fund, books	68.25	
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Willson Charity Fund, payment	50.00	1,944.18
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TRANSFERS

Reserve Fund, to,

Law Department	33.25	
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Town Reports	52.20	
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Town Pound Repairs	18.78	
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Fire Department	809.81	
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Truant Support	190.88	
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Health Dept.	89.26	
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Swimming Pool	58.40	
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Poor Department	1,181.79	
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Street Oil	5.56	
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Cemetery Dept. to Highways	23.50	
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Common & TH. Gds. to Highways	92.00	
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Highways to Cherry Street Sidewalk	60.00	
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Highways to Willow Bridge	125.00	
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Highways to Willow Bridge	8.23	
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Schools to Trade Schools	94.99	
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T H. Repairs to Town Hall Care	92.10	2,935.75
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BALANCES

Cash on hand and deposits,		
General Balances	14,397.14	
Perpetual Care Int.	319.23	
Overlay Res. Fund	2,603.40	\$17,319.77
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Trust Fund, balances,		
Willson Fund, cash	172.33	
Fay Fund, cash	7.30	
Rural Reserve Fund,		
cash	628.76	808.39
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Total of all Cash Balances for 1921		\$18,128.16
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Total of all Non Revenue Payments for 1921	\$75,684.69	
Total of all Rev. Payments for 1921, forw'ded	81,072.93	
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Total of all Payments and bal. for 1921	\$156,757.62	

TRIAL BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 1922

General Cash	\$17,319.77	
Fay Library Cash	7.30	
Willson Charity Fund Cash	172.33	
Rural Cemetery Reserve	628.76	
C. L. Fairbanks, 1919 Tax account		.69
C. L. Fairbanks, 1920 Tax account	2,318.81	
C. L. Fairbanks, 1921 Tax account	9,049.42	
Special \$3.00 Poll Tax		18.00

C. L. Fairbanks, 1919 Moth account	.80	
C. L. Fairbanks, 1920 Moth account	8.53	
C. L. Fairbanks, 1921 Moth account	56.82	
Overlay Reserve Fund		2,603.40
Overlay, 1919		110.60
Overlay, 1920		380.06
Overlay, 1921	50.81	
Comm. of Mass. Insp. Animals	100.00	
Comm. of Mass. St. Aid & Mil. Aid	480.00	
Cemetery Dept. Accts. Due	207.00	
Firemen's Services, 1921		687.50
Tree Warden & Moth overdraft	421.89	
Highway Account overdraft	1,416.71	
Willson Charity Fund Income		172.33
Fay Library Fund Income		7.30
P. J. O'Rielly Award		200.00
Interest on Cemetery Trust Funds		319.23
Rural Cemetery Commissioners		628.76
EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY		27,111.08
Net Bonded Debt	9,900.00	
School Bonds due		2,000.00
Library Note due		1,000.00
Tractor—Stone Crusher Notes		2,900.00
Fire Engine Notes		4,000.00
Trust Funds, Cash and Deposits	14,025.00	
Fay Library Fund		1,500.00
Willson Charity Fund		1,000.00
Cemetery Trust Funds		11,525.00
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		\$56,163.95
		\$56,163.95

UNPAID BILLS FOR 1921

Town Hall Account	\$43.72	
Fayville Hall	41.57	
Board of Health	177.00	
Poor Department	200.00	
Library	89.79	
Cemetery	50.00	
Sealer of W. & M.	51.46	
Town Clerk	28.15	
Fire Department (approx.)	150.00	\$831.69
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ASSETS ACCOUNTS			LIABILITY ACCOUNTS		
Cash in Banks:			Overlay Reserve Fund		
General Balance	\$17,319.77		Overlay, 1919	\$110.60	\$2,603.40
Fay Fund Cash	7.30		Overlay, 1920	380.06	490.66
Willson Fund Cash	172.33				
Rural Res. Fund Cash	628.76	\$18,128.16			
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Accounts Receivable,			State of Mass.		
1920 Taxes	2,318.81		\$3.00 Poll Tax—Balance		18.00
1921 Taxes	9,049.42		Firemen's Services, 1921		687.50
1919 Moth Assess.	.80		Perpetual Care Funds,		
1920 Moth Assess.	8.53		Interest		319.23
1921 Moth Assess.	56.82	11,434.38	Excess Payment		
<hr/>			On 1919 Taxes		.69
Amounts due from State for:			Balances		
State Aid	378.00		Fay Fund	7.30	
Military Aid	102.00		Willson Fund	172.33	
Inspection Animals	100.00	580.00	Rural Cem. Reserve	628.76	808.39
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Cemetery Dept.			Surplus of Revenue,		
Accounts due	207.00	207.00	Excess and Deficiency		27,111.08
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Over-drafts,			\$32,238.95		
1921 Overlay	50.81				
Tree Warden—Brush	421.89				
Highway—Brush	1,416.71	1,889.41			
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\$32,238.95					

DEBT STATEMENT, DECEMBER 31, 1921

	Outstanding Jan 1, 1921	Borrowed 1921	Paid 1921	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1922	Due 1922	Interest Due 1922	
Revenue Loans		\$35,000	\$35,000				36
School Bonds	\$4,000		2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000	Feb. 1-Aug. 1	
Fire Engine Loan	5,000		1,000	4,000	1,000	Jan. 1-July 1	
Library Notes	2,000		1,000	1,000	1,000	April 1-Oct. 1	
Crusher-Tractor	3,900		1,000	2,900	1,000	Jan. 1-July 1	
	\$14,900	\$35,000	\$40,000	\$9,900	\$5,000		

INDEBTEDNESS

Net Bonded Debt	\$9,900.00	Town Debt	
	<hr/>	Fire Engine Loan	\$4,000.00
	\$9,900.00	School Bonds	2,000.00
		Stone Crusher & Tractor	2,900.00
		Library Note	1,000.00
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			\$9,900.00

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TRUST FUNDS

Trust Funds (cash and securities)	\$14,025.00	Cemetery Trust Funds	\$11,525.00
	<hr/>	Fay Library Fund	1,500.00
	\$14,025.00	Willson Charity Fund	1,000.00
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			\$14,025.00

STATEMENT OF TOWN INSURANCE

Property	Policies	Premiums
Town Hall	\$19,200.00	\$456.05
Fire Dept.	1,500.00	34.95
Sealer W. & M.	800.00	38.48
High School	32,250.00	783.19
So. Union School	19,625.00	471.41
Fayville School	2,500.00	77.50
Fayville Hall	8,600.00	268.36
Horse Sheds	1,500.00	25.95
Bath Houses	500.00	10.00
Spraying Machine	150.00	7.50

\$86,625.00 \$2,173.39

See detailed statement following.

DETAIL OF INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

NAME OF COMPANY	POLICY NO.	PROPERTY INSURED	AMOUNT	PREMIUM	EXPIRES
Fireman's Fund	1,048,748	South Union School	10,000	233.00	Jan. 2, '22
New Hampshire	95,211	Fayville Hall	1,000	27.50	Jan. 1, '22
Hartford	20,975	Town Hall	3,000	70.50	Feb. 17, '22
Boston	1,892,968	Town Hall	3,000	70.95	Mar. 1, '22
Aetna	2,453	Town Hall	2,000	47.00	Mar. 10, '22
Springfield	2,923	Town Hall	2,000	47.00	Mar. 10, '22
Aetna	2,466	Horse Sheds	1,500	25.95	Apr. 21, '22
Sun Ins. Co.	292,905	High School	5,000	140.00	Apr. 10, '22
Girard	1,434,319	Fayville Hall Bldgs.	2,200	79.26	Apr. 29, '22
Boston Ins. Co.	105,424	F. H. C. Sprayer	150	7.50	Apr. 25, '22
No. British Mer.	3,597,137	Engine House	1,500	34.95	May 11, '22
State of Penn.	268,216	So. Union School	2,750	84.00	May 23, '22
Girard	1,434,321	So. Union School	2,750	84.00	May 23, '22
Boston Ins. Co.	1,892,971	High School Furniture	1,700	49.00	May 25, '22
Boston Ins. Co.	1,892,972	Fayville School	2,500	77.50	May 28, '22
Fireman's F'd B	1,196,232	Fayville Hall	5,400	161.60	Apr. 23, '23
No. America	957,735	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May 22, '23
Home Ins.	3,930	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May 22, '23
Royal Ins.	548,628	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May 22, '23
No. British	315,694	Town Hall	2,600	58.90	Nov. 14, '23

DETAIL OF INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY—*Continued*

Hartford	2,766	Town Hall	2,600	58.90	Nov.	14, '23
Boston Ins. Co.	2,290.00	High School Building	2,500	58.75	Jan.	30, '24
Penn	1,033,603	High School Building	7,500	176.25	Jan.	30, '24
State of Penn.	5,028	High School Building	5,000	117.50	Feb.	1, '24
Girard	1,434,343	High School Building	5,000	117.50	Feb.	1, '24
Fireman's F'd	B1,307,603	Industrial Building	3,250	55.31	Feb.	1, '24
Girard	1,434,342	High School Building	2,250	52.88	Feb.	1, '24
No. America	960,880	Town Hall	2,000	43.00	Feb.	16, '24
Fireman's F'd	B1,307,604	Town Hall	2,000	50.60	Mar.	1, '24
Continental	2,307	Sealer W. & M.	800	38.96	May	1, '24
Fireman's F'd	1,401,587	Bath House	500	10.00	July	1, '24

SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen (3)	\$300.00
Selectmen's Clerk	50.00
Accountant	200.00
Treasurer	200.00
Collector	300.00
Assessors (\$3.50 per day)	
Town Clerk	250.00
Registrar of Voters	80.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures (including \$25.00 for expense)	100.00
Tree Warden	25.00
Board of Health (3)	75.00
Highway Surveyor (\$5.00 per day) (For not more than 200 working days)	
Poor Department (3)	200.00
School Committee (3)	300.00
Cemetery Commissioners (3)	50.00
Inspector of Animals	200.00
	<hr/> \$2,965.00

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The Selectmen have purchased and installed the new furnace in the Southboro Center and Southville Fire Engine houses and installed the electric lights on School Street, Clifford Street, Northboro Road, Middle Road, Deerfoot Road, Walker Street, and in Engine House, in Southville, as voted at the last Annual Town Meeting.

The Fire Department has been reorganized, a Fire Chief and assistants appointed and new companies organized, with regular compensation fixed for officers and members. The new fire engine has passed the Underwriters' test, regular drills are held by the firemen and we recommend proper financial support be voted by the town for this Department.

In regard to dividing the town into two voting precincts, the Selectmen recommend that the town be divided into a North precinct, centering in the Town Hall, and a South precinct, centering in the South Union School building, the two precincts being divided by a line drawn as follows:

Beginning at the point where the Boston & Worcester Street Railway crosses the western boundary of the town, thence easterly along the B. & W. St. Ry. to

White's Corner, thence south-easterly along Break Neck Hill Road to Woodland Road, thence northerly to Oregon Road, thence easterly to the eastern boundary of the town.

In regard to holding the Annual Town Meeting for the transaction of business other than the election of officers at a different time than on the day of election, we recommend the acceptance of the provisions of Section 23 of Chap. 39 of the General Laws.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND H. OVESON,
FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
JOSEPH B. CHOATE,

Selectmen.

TOWN OFFICERS, 1921

TOWN CLERK

Charles L. Fairbanks

TREASURER

Thomas E. Waldron

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Desk at Harry
~~Charles L. Fairbanks~~

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Charles E. Bagley

SELECTMEN

Joseph B. Choate Term expires March, 1922

Raymond H. Oveson Term expires March, 1923

Francis D. Newton Term expires March, 1924

Joseph B. Choate

ASSESSORS

Francis McNeil Term expires March, 1922

Edward F. Collins (resigned)

Term expires March, 1923

George F. Field Term expires March, 1924

Francis McNeil

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Albert Beaton Term expires March, 1922

Paul S. Lincoln Term expires March, 1923

Daniel F. Harrington Term expires March, 1924

Albert Beaton

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Samuel Clark Term expires March, 1922
 Phyllis Burnett *Phyllis Burnett* Term expires March, 1923
 Frederick C. Staples Term expires March, 1924

*Sam Clark**25*

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Francis D. Newton Term expires March, 1922
 Adelbert E. Collins Term expires March, 1923
 Patrick M. Salmon Term expires March, 1924

*Sam**25*

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

W. B. Boland

William Boland

TREE WARDEN

Harry Burnett

BOARD OF HEALTH

Charles F. Choate, Jr. Term expires March, 1922
~~Carl R. Lindstrom~~ Term expires March, 1923
 John L. Bacon Term expires March, 1924

*T. R. Lindstrom**25*

TOWN HOUSE COMMITTEE

William Duncan Joseph Ould
 Edgar M. Smith

CONSTABLES

William Duncan Russell L. McDonald
 Charles C. Hildreth Francis D. Newton
 Bartholomew O'Shea

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY

James P. Curran Term expires March, 1922

Paul S. Lincoln	Term expires March, 1922
Charles F. Choate, Jr.	Term expires March, 1923
Frederick C. Staples	Term expires March, 1923
Robert F. Cheney	Term expires March, 1924
Charles L. Fairbanks	Term expires March, 1924

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Edgar M. Smith	Term expires March, 1922
Harry B. Spurr	Term expires March, 1922
Daniel F. Harrington	Term expires March, 1922
Robert M. Burnett	Term expires March, 1923
John H. McClosky	Term expires March, 1924
Augustus E. Wright	Term expires March, 1924

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK

D. Clinton Nichols	Marcus Q. Jackson
Paul S. Lincoln	

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER

D. Clinton Nichols	Charles I. Parmenter
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PUBLIC WEIGHERS

D. Clinton Nichols	Marcus Q. Jackson
Mary E. Fitzgerald	

WEIGHERS OF COAL

D. Clinton Nichols	Edward C. Nichols
John Sealey	

FIELD DRIVERS

Patrick J. Brock	William McKie
Francis D. Newton	Patrick M. Salmon

POUND KEEPER

William Duncan

DOG OFFICER

William Duncan

FENCE VIEWERS

John D. C. Bradley

Thomas P. Lindsay

Charles F. Leland

Raymond H. Oveson

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Charles L. Fairbanks

BURIAL AGENT

Samuel F. Draper

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Charles L. Fairbanks

Mary E. Maley

Thomas F. O'Donnell

Herbert W. Schnare

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Eugene Closson

FIRE WARDS

Charles C. Hildreth

Eugene P. Bent

Albert E. Hutt

Daniel F. Kelley

Parker N. Uhlman

CATTLE INSPECTOR

William H. Onthank

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 7, 1921

Article 1. Raymond H. Oveson elected as Moderator.

Article 2. (See list of Town Officers).

Article 3. Vote for license, 191 Yes, 315 No.

Vote for rescinding vote pertaining to election of Highway Surveyor, 156 Yes, 275 No.

Article 4. Voted to accept reports of various Town Officers as printed.

Article 5. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$85,504.69. (See list of appropriations in Town Accountant's report).

Article 6. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year, beginning January first, 1921, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year. The total that may be borrowed under this vote not to exceed forty-five thousand dollars.

(Forty-six voted in favor and none against).

Article 7. Voted that the dog money be divided

equally between the Schools and the Library, and to be made in a part of their appropriations.

Article 8. Voted to appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars to defray the expenses of the observance of Memorial Day.

Article 9. Voted to pass the article. (See list of appropriations).

Article 10. Voted to grant the free use of the Fayetteville Hall to the Southborough Band.

Article 11. Voted to appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars for Band Concerts, the same to be given through June, July and August, and to be given under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 12. Voted that the Selectmen be instructed to install: three electric lights on School Street; three electric lights on Clifford Road; two electric lights on Northboro Road; two lights on Middle Road; one light on Deerfoot Road, and whatever number of lights that may be necessary on Walker Street.

Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to negotiate a new contract with the Marlborough Electric Company, for lighting the streets of the town, and to report at some future meeting.

Article 13. Voted that the Selectmen be instructed to pay two hundred dollars to Patrick J. O'Reilley, for land taken in 1909, for the widening of Boston Road.

Article 14. Voted that the matter of drainage and alteration of road near houses of James J. Burke, Pat-

rick Donahue and John Sealey be left in the hands of the Selectmen.

Article 15. Voted to appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars to the Worcester County Farm Bureau.

Article 16. Elected Edgar M. Smith, as Director, for one year, under the provisions of Chapter 273, Acts of 1918, Section 1.

Article 17. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to install electric lights in the engine house at Southville.

Article 18. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to install new furnaces in the Southborough Center and the Southville engine houses.

Article 19. Voted to pass the article. (See list of appropriations).

Article 20. Voted to pass the article. (See list of appropriations).

Article 21. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to organize a Fire Department and to report at some future meeting.

Article 22. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to sell or dispose of the surplus or unneeded fire equipment.

Article 23. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to take steps necessary to have the Town divided into two voting precincts, and to provide meetings for the transaction of town business other than elections on

some evening other than on the day of election of Town Officers.

Article 24. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to petition the State Highway Commission immediately to build a section of state highway commencing at the Marlborough City line and extending easterly over the present road to Stone's corner and Willow Bridge.

Article 25. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to contract for or purchase oil for the streets for each ensuing year.

Article 26. Voted that the money received from the sale of lockup and land, and the one thousand dollars extra raised by the Assessors, be placed in the Town Treasury.

Article 27. Voted that one thousand dollars be appropriated to build a fence for about 1700 feet across the Willow Bridge.

Article 28. Voted to appropriate four hundred dollars for the building of a sidewalk on Pleasant and Cherry Streets, in Fayville.

Article 29. Voted to pass the article.

Voted that the meeting be dissolved.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, AUGUST 6, 1921

Article 1. Charles F. Choate, III., elected as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted to accept the provisions of Sections 27, 28 and 29 of Chapter 591 of the Acts of 1920.

Article 3. Voted that the sum of fifteen hundred dollars be appropriated for the purchase of necessary fire apparatus, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow the same and to give notes or bonds therefor, payable in two years.

Twenty-two voted in favor and 21 against.

Voted that six hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents be appropriated for the payment of services of firemen for the current year and that the same be paid from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer.

Voted that the meeting be dissolved.

BIRTHS, 1921

- Jan. 3. Salmon, Rosemary,
Daughter of Francis J. and Rosa (Austel)
Salmon.
- Jan. 18. Brewer, Mary Frances,
Daughter of Walter B. and Sadie (Fletcher)
Brewer.
- Jan. 20. Mabie, William Paul, Jr.,
Son of William Paul and Dorothy (Hadley)
Mabie
- Jan. 31. Knowles, Nina,
Daughter of Richard and May F. (Ashley)
Knowles.
- Feb. 5. Bartnassi, Gentina,
Daughter of Menasmal and Albena (Berni)
Bartnassi.
- Feb. 7. Nichols, Marjorie Eleanor,
Daughter of Charles S. and Florence L.
(Jones) Nichols.
- Feb. 9. Brown, Marjorie Elizabeth,
Daughter of Albert F. and Gladys
(O'Leary) Brown.

- Feb. 21. Dermon, Louise Elizabeth,
Daughter of William S. and Vesta L. (Bacon) Dermon.
- Mar. 1. Gray, Norman Currier,
Son of Chester C. and Mary G. (Flanders) Gray.
- Mar. 19. Allen, Ralph C., Jr.,
Son of Ralph C. and Rita (Willis) Allen
- Apr. 2. Prosperi, Ervin,
Son of Luciano and Elizabeth (Magi) Prosperi.
- Apr. 4. Beck, John Richards,
Son of John and Eliza (Pascoe) Beck.
- Apr. 18. Davis, Charles Henry,
Son of William North and Eva (Landry) Davis.
- Apr. 18. Borelli, Eleanor,
Daughter of Lu and Rose (Fay) Borelli.
- Apr. 27. Onthank, Eleanor Jeanne,
Daughter of William H. and Margaret E. (Thompson) Onthank.
- May 20. Rose, Elizabeth Starbuck,
Daughter of Franklin Orth and Henrietta (Hunt) Rose.
- July 6. McCarthy, Evelyn June,
Daughter of Michael and Angelina (Dufault) McCarthy.
- July 13. Hall, Harriet Marie,
Daughter of Robert A. and Theodora (Gordon) Hall.

- July 26. Hebden, Evelyn Mae,
Daughter of Robert Leslie and Lois Philena
(Wheeler) Hebden.
- Aug. 10. Baldelli,
Son of Joe and Victoria (Travalini) Baldelli.
- Aug. 24. Minnucci, Alfred,
Son of Dominic and Mary (D'Angelo) Min-
nucci.
- Sept. 24. Tibaldi, Rena,
Daughter of Terensio and Augusta (Far-
quandini) Tibaldi.
- Sept. 30. Ginger, Andrea Charles,
Son of Ericole and Elizabeth (Dellacostan-
zo) Ginger.
- Sept. 30. Maguire, Austin Michael,
Son of John and Mary (Sheehan) Maguire.
- Oct. 8. Cecolini, Elide,
Daughter of Charles and Augusta (Padin-
otti) Cecolini.
- Nov. 1. Choate, Charles Francis, 4th,
Son of Charles Francis, 3rd, and Nathalie
Holmes (Bishop) Choate.
- Nov. 19. Young, Henry Hill,
Son of Harry W. and Agnes (Hill) Young.
- Nov. 21. Uhlman, Frances Emma,
Daughter of Parker N. and Angie (Byard)
Uhlman.

- Nov. 23. Sullivan, William James,
Son of William F. and Agnes (Telfer) Sul-
livan.
- Dec. 7. Minnucci, ———,
Daughter of James and Antoniatta (Giove)
Minnucci.
- Dec. 23. Fantoni, Joseph Andrew,
Son of Charles and Mary (Mitchell) Fan-
toni.
- Dec. 24. Howes, Richard John,
Son of Robert Howard and Mary Agnes
(Burke) Howes.

MARRIAGES, 1921

January 23

Setrag Kaherian to Angel Baleia.

January 23

Mesack Kaherian to Nuvart Kaiserian.

April 6

Henry Fry to Elsbit Coutts.

May 3

William L. Giffin to Mary Sloan.

May 8

Frank Bibb to Incoronato Riccio.

June 8

John Francis McDonough to Nora Sullivan.

June 8

Francis Grout to Hilda Aldena Borgeson.

July 2

Edmund Lawrence Kelley to Emma Russen.

July 14

Godfrey Brinley to Marion Burnett Fay.

August 15

Donald Newcomb Dinsmore to Elizabeth Dorothy Lockett.

August 25

Wendell Frederick Smith to Miriam Wyman Kempton.

September 7

Walter E. Williams to Edith M. Jonah.

September 21

Henry Dexter Rice to Leona Florence DeMone.

September 24

Carl Andrew Prendergast to Delia Ellen Boland.

September 26

Robert Daniel Mahoney to Marie Angelina Guertin.

October 1

Celestino Berri to Elvira Rigolli.

October 11

George Lewis Kries to Blanche Arbutha Larkum.

October 15

Robert Burnett Choate to Katherine Schuyler Crosby.

October 31

Louis Cardini to Theresa Scampini.

November 23

Andrew J. Miles to Ruby M. Wallace.

November 27

Charles Manry Jacot to Alice Blanche Couch.

December 12

Wilbur E. Warren to Minnie G. Keene.

December 24

Walter E. Fernald to Elsie A. Hunt.

DEATHS, 1921

- Jan. 20—Hilda Genie Bartolini, 2 yrs., 9 mos., 18 days.
26—Alessandio Bassi, 37 years, 20 days.
27—Harry Verrill, 11 years, 10 months, 14 days.
31—John Orren Todd, 79 years, 2 mos., 12 days.
- Feb. 3—Eugene F. Bigelow, 76 years, 6 days.
8—Leo Frederico Bartoline, 4 years, 9 months.
18—Harriet R. Childs, 92 years, 4 mos., 17 days.
- Mar. 12—Imperia Morazzini, 2 years, 2 mos., 5 days.
18—Vilva Morazzini, 3 years, 6 mos., 23 days.
27—John Wolf, 46 years, 8 months, 3 days.
- Apr. 2—Mario Henry Fantoni, 20 years 10 mos., 23 days.
20—Francis Wright, 80 years, 2 mos., 6 days.
- May 21—Alvin Addison Bray, 69 yrs., 10 mos., 9 days.
- June 6—Florence Wentworth Page, 62 years, 7 mos., 17 days.
- July 6—Pierrino Gorgotta, 2 years, 1 mo., 1 day.
8—Lettie A. Carr, 28 years, 7 mos., 13 days.
11—Henry A. True, 86 years, 6 mos., 16 days.
- Aug. 2—Louise C. Baxter, 75 years, 6 mos., 12 days.
10—(Still-born) Baldelli.

Sept. 17—Ella Frances Crosman, 69 years, 10 mos., 1 day.

Oct. 10—Nancy Fay, 104 years, 9 months, 14 days.

13—Jennie Page Barney, 71 yrs., 9 mos., 4 days.

20—Angelino Guarmieri, 24 yrs., 2 mos., 4 days.

Nov. 28—Joseph C. Richards, 64 years, 10 mos., 27 days.

Dec. 18—Alice Elizabeth Gilmore, 66 years, 8 days.

29—Herbert Arthur Hyde, 50 years., 11 mos., 9 days.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT, 1921

Births registered, males	15	23
Births registered, females	17	19
Marriages recorded	23	21
Deaths recorded, males	13	15
Deaths recorded, females	13	21
Fees received for recording above	\$56.00	65.50
Dogs licensed, males	145	141
Dogs licensed, females	39	51
Breeder's license	1	
Paid County Treasurer	\$498.00	498.6
Fees received for dog licenses	\$37.00	38.4
Hunters registered	67	62
Fishermen registered	19	26
Minor Trappers registered	18	10
Paid Commissioner of Fish and Game	\$65.90	125.8
Fees received for registering above	15.10	14.7
Fees received for recording chattel mortgages	4.00	
Fees received for birth certificates	.75	.75
Fees received for filing marriage intentions	23.00	21.00

CHAS. L. FAIRBANKS,
Town Clerk.

LIST OF JURORS

As prepared by the Selectmen of Southborough, in accordance with Chapter 234 of
the General Laws.

Name	Occupation	Post Office	Residence
Bradley, John D. C.,	Manufacturer	Southboro	Sears Road
Brewer, Walter B.,	Farmer	Framingham	Boston Road
Bent, Eugene P.,	Poultryman	Southville	Pearl St.
Burnett, George H.,	Manufacturer	Southboro	Deerfoot Road
Burnett, John T.,	Merchant	Southboro	Main St.
Choate, Joseph B.,	Broker	Southboro	Main St.
Draper, Allan H.,	Carpenter	Fayville	Winter St.
Eaton, Harris D.,	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Road
Fuller, Frederick E.,	Mill hand	Cordaville	Woodland Road
Gordon, Clarence M.,	Lawyer	Southville	Southville Road
Green, Walter	Farmer	Southboro	Woodland Road
Hutt, Albert E.,	Farmer	Southboro	Middle Road
Jones, Herbert W.,	Grain Dealer	Southville	Parkerville Road
Kidder, Dana J.,	Insurance	Fayville	Oak Hill Road
Ladd, Harry L.,	Overseer	Cordaville	Cottage St.

LIST OF JURORS—*Continued*

Maley, Michael R.,	Steward	Southboro	Boston Road
Pinkham, Joseph W.	Farmer	Southboro	Richards Road
Smith, Erwin L.	Electrician	Fayville	Turnpike Road
Smith, William L.,	Farmer	Southboro	Richards Road
Spurr, Harry B.	Farmer	Marlboro	Northboro Road
Staples, Frederick C.,	Teacher	Southboro	Cordaville Road
Thompson, Thomas P.	Laborer	Southboro	East Main St.
Uhlman, Douglas	Farmer	Fayville	Central St.
Wrye, Wallace M.,	Painter	Fayville	Turnpike Road

R. H. OVESON,
 FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
 JOSEPH B. CHOATE,
 Selectmen of Southborough.

ASSESSORS' REPORT, 1921

	Valuations	
	April 1, 1920.	April 1, 1921
Real Estate	\$1,818,810.00	\$2,175,635.00
Personal Property	561,801.00	619,200.00
Total Valuations	2,380,611.00	2,794,835.00
Number of Polls assessed		540
Town Grants	\$85,704.69	
State Tax	7,140.00	
Special State Tax, Bonus to Soldiers	336.60	
\$3.00 on 540 poll taxes, Bonus to Soldiers	1,620.00	
Special State Tax, Gipsy and Brown Tail Moth	56.08	
State Highway Tax	738.20	
County Tax	3,586.00	
Overlaying on Taxes	227.35	
Total amount to be raised		\$99,408.92
Deduct estimated receipts as follows:		
From various sources	\$9,988.00	
Moth Tax	398.64	
Worcester Consolidated Franchise Tax	365.00	

Bank Tax	3,890.00
Corporation Tax	2,300.00
Income Tax from State	4,897.22
Met. Water and Sewerage Board	2,573.04
In lieu of tax on land	

Estimated Receipts				\$24,321.90
Amount raised on property and Polls, includ-				
ing overlayings				75,087.02
Moth Tax assessed				398.64
Taxes added				7.59
Rate of Tax per \$1,000				25.90
Raised by Taxation, not including Moth Tax				
In 1918	1919	1920	1921	
\$36,784.94	\$40,402.19	\$58,607.40	\$75,087.02	
Taxes abated, 1919 assessment on personal				
property				\$3.97
One Poll Tax				2.00
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				\$5.97
1920 assessment on personal pro-				
perty				\$6.49
On Real Estate				944.00
16 Poll Taxes				80.00
				\$95.93
1921 assessments on personal proper-				
ty				51.86

On Real Estate	145.30	
17 Poll Taxes	81.00	278.16

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCIS McNEIL,
EDWARD F. COLLINS,
GEORGE F. FIELD,
Assessors of Southboro.

1921 TAX ACCOUNT

Dr.

Amount committed by warrant	75,087.02
Moth Tax	398.64
Taxes Added	7.59
Interest	63.74
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	75,555.99

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Taxes Abated	278.16
Paid Treasurer	66,172.59
Balance Uncollected	9,101.24
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	75,551.99
Suspense Account	5.00
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	75,556.99

1921 TAXES ABATED

Harry Burnett, et als.	91.95
John C. Welch	25.90
Standard Oil Co.	22.07

J. A. L. Kendall	12.95	
M. L. Childs	10.36	
Alex. Gilmore	7.77	
T. & R. Collette	5.18	
G. B. Potter	5.18	
C. S. Oveson	5.18	
A. L. Baker	5.18	
M. E. Fernald	3.89	
Wm. O'Donnell	1.55	
Albert Brown	5.00	
A. P. Snow, Jr.	5.00	
Harold Smiddy	5.00	
Ralph C. Allen	5.00	
Norman Brunelle	5.00	
Fred C. Ruddy	5.00	
Pietro Bianchi	5.00	
Jos. Rabini	5.00	
Sterling Dunn	5.00	
Joseph Baddle	5.00	
Addison A. Bray	5.00	
J. D. Geoghegan	5.00	
John Gould	5.00	
Warner Oland	5.00	
J. A. Thayer	5.00	
Alfred R. Day	3.00	
John T. Maguire	3.00	\$ 278.16

Taxes added,—1921

George Bartholdi	1.04	
Heirs of M. Liberty	1.55	2.59
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Charlie Bina		5.00
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		7.59
1919 Taxes abated	5.97	
1920 Taxes abated	95.93	
1921 Taxes abated	278.16	

1921 TAXES UNCOLLECTED

M. A. Allen	113.44	M. E. Smith	110.50
M. A. Allen	3.89	H. H. Sommerman	52.08
S. G. Allen	8.89	M. M. Stanton	61.76
F. H. Barrows	61.54	Gino Tomassetti	12.95
Louise Baxter	29.91	N. F. Wadsworth	220.15
J. L. Beaton	27.84	E. W. Ward	6.68
C. M. Bean	78.96	M. A. Ward	77.33
L. Bertonazzi	69.53	H. W. Webster	134.96
R. F. Coburn	153.79	John Welch	6.48
Celia Cowern	138.88	A. A. Wylde	44.17
Hrs. of M'g'et Coyle	25.90	A. E. Wright	273.67
C. G. Currie	12.95	H. B. Wright	13.21
A. H. Cummings	77.84	Francis Wright,	
Cord'ville Wool. Co.	60.00	Heirs	241.15
D. M. Daughan	26.04	J. F. Bacon	49.21
E. B. Davis	172.52	B. & W. St. Ry.	2,206.93
S. F. Draper	21.79	M. L. Doherty	31.22

A. H. Draper	8.89	W. J. Johnstone	6.48
A. M. Draper	1.94	E. B. Hamilton	31.08
Charles Fantoni	145.30	G. K. Harwood	134.47
W. A. Fay	98.85	Wm. McLaughlin	3.89
J. I. Fitzgerald	71.23	Catherine O'Brien	33.67
H. Flanders et als.	116.83	J. Tarplin	26.04
T. J. Gallivan	48.58	M. Boland	12.95
C. M. Gordon	137.30	J. M. Fitzgerald	148.82
R. W. Hadley	11.66	J. H. Donahoe	50.89
Paul Hadley	11.66	C. H. Parsons	85.75
C. P. Harding	33.67	N. S. Ziccho	59.57
Revena Harding	49.21	G. A. Butman	6.48
J. T. Harris	2.98	M. A. Boisvert	5.83
J. A. Harris	6.48	C. T. Blake	169.94
N. F. Harris	103.83	S. A. Gilmore	3.89
Hart Harris	26.18	Mary Hayden, Hrs.	9.07
E. W. Honen	60.36	W. H. Northridge	6.48
A. Hudson	111.16	H. H. Winchester	100.00
A. E. Hutt et als.	170.75	Mary Liberty, Hrs.	1.55
Charles Kalegian	204.45	George Bartholdi	1.04
G. Kahedrian	168.99	Jacob Abbott	5.00*
G. M. Kidder	109.99	M. Aselbakian	5.00*
A. B. King	57.12	Peter Aspesi	5.00
C. A. Knight	3.89	Miccine Balzzi	5.00
J. B. Lamontague	10.36	R. H. Barrows	5.00
F. Limerick	3.24	Henry Bartone	5.00*
M. E. Mahoney	84.13	Caesar Bartiloni	5.00
A. Malling	9.32	R. H. Beals	5.00
T. F. Manning	31.08	Thomas Becker	5.00*
E. Mattioli	87.49	John Breslin	5.00*

Leo Mattioli	5.18	C. H. Bullens	5.00
H. J. McDonald	50.65	T. J. Burns	5.00
R. McHale	138.65	Carleni Veristo	5.00
A. McMonigal	47.41	James Davis	5.00 x
M. A. McMaster	100.00	Delienni Battacci	5.00
J. Minnucci	60.22	Sumner Dowers	5.00 x
L. Mitchell	7.64	Felix Ferrari	5.00
L. Mitchell	15.54	H. H. Flanders	5.00
M. Mitchell	43.38	Angelo Fornasini	5.00
H. W. Moore	7.77	Louis Gatto	5.00 x
M. L. Paine	51.94	A. E. Hutt	5.00
C. I. Parmenter	58.56	Arthur Johnson	5.00 x
L. Pereni	162.47	Setrag Kahederian	5.00 x
F. Phillippo	9.71	Sam Kahedrian	5.00 x
J. W. Pinkham	122.85	Oliver King	5.00 x
M. C. Quinn	20.72	Rasquale Mauro	5.00 5.31
J. W. Richards	105.80	F. N. O'Neill	5.00
S. H. Roberts	41.19	B. O'Shay	5.00
G. A. Saunders	56.98	Gocestani Pensolfini	5.00
Morris Schaff	25.90	Victor Rossi	5.00
John Sealey	163.32	Gini Tomasuty	5.00
J. F. Sullivan	54.27	Cornelius Wask	5.00 x
L. H. Sundberg	64.49		
A. E. Smith	16.58		
			<hr/> \$9,101.24

1920 TAX ACCOUNT

Dr.

Balance uncollected, December 31,

1920

6,694.63

Interest	195.43	
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		6,890.06
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Taxes abated	95.93	
Paid Treasurer	4,466.58	
Uncollected, December 31, 1921	2,322.97	
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		6,885.48
Suspense accounts		4.58
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		6,890.06

UNCOLLECTED 1920 TAXES

B. & W. St. Ry.	\$2,011.13	Hrs. of Mary Hayden	7.22
S. and M. Kelegian	148.03	✓ Levi J. Robie	6.42 ✓
Nicholas Ziko	49.56	✓ Byron Gilliland	5.00
A. R. Cheney	35.18	✓ Jos. Rabini	5.00
Jacob Tarplin	23.60		
John E. Welch	16.80	✓	
H. F. Steele	15.03	✓	
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			2,322.97

1920 TAXES ABATED

R. B. Marston	10.90	W. R. Canty	5.00
M. L. Childs	9.44	John Chase	5.00
Alexander Smart	.59	Gustave Dillon	5.00
Ant. Bartiloni	5.00	B. S. Evans	5.00

Frank Smith	5.00	Stephen Hagendron	5.00
Geo. F. Clark	5.00	Carl Kay	5.00
A. K. Babbitt	5.00	Geo. W. Noyes	5.00
George Atwill	5.00	John Quinn	5.00
William Bearse	5.00		
R. F. Burns	5.00		<u>95.93</u>

1919 TAX ACCOUNT

Dr.

Balance Uncollected, December 31,	
1920	1,524.58
Interest	177.97
	<u>1,702.55</u>

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Paid Treasurer	1,696.58
Taxes abated	5.97
	<u>1,702.55</u>

(Tax abated,—Harry Steele, 5.97)

REPORT OF QUARTERMASTER, POST 44, G. A. R., MEMORIAL DAY, 1921

To appropriation—Received from Town Treasurer,
\$100.00

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Paid Southborough Brass Band	40.00	
Boston Regalia Co., for flag	9.00	
Rev. John Locket Address	10.00	
Henry M. Rogers, for Automobile	14.00	
Joseph Munro, Automobiles	4.00	
B. P. Winch, for Flowers	23.00	100.00

FRANCIS D. NEWTON, Acting Q. M.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account With Town
of Southborough

DR.

1920			
Dec.	31.	Balance	\$9,439.51
1921			
Jan.	20.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Margaret McCarthy	100.00
	27.	Commonwealth of Mass. Income Tax, 1918	65.00
		Commonwealth of Mass. Income Tax, 1919	102.00
		Commonwealth of Mass. Income Tax, 1920	408.00
Mar.	4.	Commonwealth of Mass. Public Service	1,451.12
	9.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Willis B. Caldwell	100.00
	11.	Commonwealth of Mass., Mass. School Fund	827.67
	18.	Commonwealth of Mass., Mothers with Dependent Children	104.00

	19.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Clarence A. Wood	100.00
	24.	Harris Forbes & Co., Inc., Loan due Nov. 1	10,000.00
Apr.	2.	Commonwealth of Mass., Income Tax, 1920	255.00
	6.	Commonwealth of Mass., Department of Industries	6.00
	7.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Frank H. Sanger	100.00
	8.	Commonwealth of Mass., Vocational Education	228.18
May	3.	Allowance for old Typewriter	55.00
	4.	D. C. Nichols, refund	18.00
	5.	Commonwealth of Mass., Public Service	580.38
	12.	North End Savings Bank, loan due Dec. 15	10,000.00
	16.	Commonwealth of Mass., Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth	26.88
	18.	Commonwealth of Mass., Foreign Tax	7.48
	27.	People's National Bank, loan due Dec. 1	10,000.00
June	1.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Wallace B. Buck	50.00
	10.	Commonwealth of Mass., Income Tax, 1920	51.00
	28.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Mrs. Ida M. Kaler	100.00

		Cemetery Trust Funds, Mrs. Ida M. Kaler	100.00
		Cemetery Trust Funds, Mrs. Lyman Follensby	100.00
July	2.	St. Mark's School, Sale of Material	60.00
	18.	Commonwealth of Mass., Compensation of Inspector of Animals	100.00
	23.	Fay School, Sale of Material	30.00
		Francis X. Rielly, Clerk, Court Fines	100.00
Aug.	6.	Deerfoot Farm Dairy, private work	21.37
		Commonwealth of Mass., Highway Commission	71.20
	12.	People's National Bank, loan due Dec. 30	5,000.00
	20.	H. W. Young & Co., refund	10.10
	27.	Commonwealth of Mass., Civilian War Poll Tax	9.00
		Commonwealth of Mass., Highway	24.00
Sept.	1.	Commonwealth of Mass., Highway	24.00
	23.	Commonwealth of Mass., Income Tax, 1919	51.00
		Commonwealth of Mass., Income Tax, 1920	51.00
Oct.	5.	Town of Hopkinton, Tuition	160.00
	8.	Worcester Consolidated St. Ry. Co.	365.00
Nov.	1.	Metropolitan Water Board	2,573.04
	16.	Commonwealth of Mass., Public	

	Service	5,783.60
	Commonwealth of Mass., Domestic	191.03
	Commonwealth of Mass., Foreign	5.20
	Commonwealth of Mass., General Purposes	4,373.96
	Commonwealth of Mass., General School Fund	2,407.50
	Commonwealth of Mass., Bank Tax	6,789.59
	Commonwealth of Mass., Street Railway Tax	13.17
	Commonwealth of Mass., Tuition of Children	624.10
	Commonwealth of Mass., High School Tuition	1,135.71
	Commonwealth of Mass., Mili- tary Aid	72.00
	Commonwealth of Mass., State Aid	444.00
	Commonwealth of Mass., Soldiers' Exemption	60.31
26.	Commonwealth of Mass., School Superintendent	578.63
Dec. 14.	Commonwealth of Mass., Depart- ment of Standards	12.00
	Library Book House, refund	68.25
19.	St. Mark's School, on acc. fire	42.20
26.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Charles R. Bell, Executor	100.00
29.	Massachusetts Hospital Life Ins. Co., Interest	535.37
	St. Mark's School, Sale of Oil Barrels	49.00

	Rev. James P. Curran, private work	80.00
30.	Commonwealth of Mass., Public Service, 1921	8.95
	Commonwealth of Mass., Income Tax, 1921	255.00
31.	Edgar L. Randell, County Tax, Dog Tax	407.29
	Miss Martha Toner, Sale of Material	14.00
	Rent of So. Union School Hall	7.00
	Wm. Boland, Sale of lumber from old Stonecrusher	5.00
	Junk Dealers' Licenses	10.00
	Sealer of Weights and Measures	23.61
	Cemetery Committee, care of lots	551.05
	Fayville Hall Committee, Rent of Hall	108.00
	People's National Bank, Interest	205.71
	Fay Library, Fines	28.08
	Town Hall Committee, Rent of Hall	400.18
	Harry Burnett, Private Spraying	596.13
	Cemetery Committee, Cash	673.00
	C. L. Fairbanks, Collector	79,683.62
	Taxes, 1919	1,696.58
	Taxes, 1920	4,466.58
	Taxes, 1921	66,172.59
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		\$152,019.30

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1921

Jan.	1.	North End Savings Bank, 6 mos. Int. on \$3,400.00	107.25
Feb.	1.	South Union School, 6 mo. Int.	80.00
Mar.	5.	M. McCarthy, Court Expense	1.75
		W. S. Duncan, Court Expense	12.11
		F. D. Newton, Court Expense	19.10
	21.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 20	2.00
	24.	Harris Forbes Co., Int. on Note Due Nov. 1, 1922	376.16
Apr.	2.	Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., Deposit, Cemetery Trust Funds	400.00
		Library and School, 6 mos. Int.	40.00
May	7.	Russell S. McDonald, Court Expense	25.44
		T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 21	2.00
	12.	North End Savings Bank Int. on on Note Due Dec. 15, 1921	361.67
		T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 22	2.00
	27.	People's National Bank, Int. on Note, Due Dec. 1, 1921	287.22
June	2.	1000 2c Stamped Envelopes	22.68
	30.	North End Savings Bank, 6 mo. Int.	107.25
		North End Savings Bank, Note due July 1, 1921	1,000.00
		Harris Forbes & Co., 6 mo. Int.	150.00
		Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co. Deposit Cemetery Trust Funds	450.00
July	2.	Commonwealth of Mass., War Poll Tax	12.00

Aug.	1.	South Union School, Payment on Bonds	2,000.00
		South Union School, 6 mo. Int.	80.00
	8.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 23	2.00
	12.	People's National Bank, Int. on Note, due Dec. 30, 1921	106.95
Sept.	3.	T. D. Newton, Court Expense	37.88
Oct.	1.	South Union School, Bonds	1,000.00
		South Union School, 6 mo. Int.	40.00
	20.	Edgar L. Ramsdell, County Treas., County Tax	3,586.00
Nov.	1.	Forbes Harris Co., Loan due Nov. 1, 1921	10,000.00
	16.	Commonwealth of Mass., State Tax	7,140.00
		Commonwealth of Mass., Penalty for Failure to Make Returns	15.00
		Commonwealth of Mass., Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	56.08
		Commonwealth of Mass., Civilian War Poll Tax	1,602.00
		Commonwealth of Mass., State Tax, Special	336.60
		Commonwealth of Mass., State Highway	738.20
Dec.	1.	People's National Bank, Note due Dec. 1, 1921	10,000.00
	15.	North End Savings Bank, Note due Dec. 15, 1921	10,000.00
	29.	Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., Deposit Cemetery Trust Fund	100.00

30.	North End Savings Bank, 6 mo. Int.	79.75
	Harris Forbes Co., on acct. Fire	
	Engine Loan	1,000.00
	Harris Forbes Co., 6 mo. Int.	150.00
	People's National Bank., Loan due	
	Dec. 30, 1921	5,000.00
	1000 2c Stamped Envelopes	22.08
	Cemetery Trust Funds, Care of Lots	551.05
	Selectmen's Orders	77,597.31
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		\$134,699.53
	Balance	17,319.77
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		\$152,019.30

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Fay Library**

1921			
Jan.		Balance	\$10.87
Jan.	20.	Marlboro Savings Bank,	
		Int.	\$2.34
Mar.	1.	Am. Tel & Tel. Co., Div.	20.00
July		Marlboro Savings Bank,	
		Int.	2.34
		Town of Gardner	10.00
		Am. Tel. & Tel. Co., Div.	20.00
Nov.	2.	Town of Gardner	10.00
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			64.68
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			75.55
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Dec.	7.	Library Book House	68.25
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			7.30

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Willson Charity Fund**

1921

		Balance	\$162.33
Jan.	6.	United Shoe Mach. Co. \$15.00	
Apr.	5.	United Shoe Mach. Co. 15.00	
July	6.	United Shoe Mach. Co. 15.00	
Oct.	5.	United Shoe Mach. Co. 15.00	60.00
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			222.33
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Dec.	17.	Jessie W. Metcalf, Treas.	50.00
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			172.33

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Rural Cemetery Commissioners**

1921		Balance	\$1,247.82
Jan.	9.	John McClousky, bal. Lot 25, Range 12	\$15.00
May	11.	Chas. Fantony, Lot 10, Range 13	30.00
July	16.	Roger K. Adams, East half Lot 48, Sec. 12	30.00
Aug.	2.	Harry L. Ladd, Lot 41, Range 12	30.00
Sept.	12.	Alessandro Bassi, Estate, Grave 5, Lot 15, R. 11	5.00
	29.	Delia G. Buttler, Lot 13, Range 15	40.00
Oct.	20.	John J. Murphy, Lot 14, Range 13	60.00
Nov.	22.	Luigi Genari, Lot 9, Range 13	30.00
		Interest on Money Dep.	16.87
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June	4.	Eugene Closson	460.00	
July	2.	G. W. Miller	306.93	
Oct.	8.	Louis W. Fay	20.00	
		Edward E. Chase	49.00	
Dec.		Edward E. Chase	26.00	
		A. E. Collins	14.00	875.93
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				628.76

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

127 Trust Funds	Lot	Section	Deposited with Treas.	Interest Unexpended	Interest 1921	Total Interest	Care of Lot	Unex- pended
Angier, C. M.	28	11	100.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Arnold, Jackson	27	2	50.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	4.00	5.75
Baker Lot	13	10	100.00	.35	2.50	2.85	2.35	.50
Bacon, A. E.	4	3	100.00	15.25	5.00	20.25	4.25	16.00
Barney, Nancy E.	17	5	50.00	10.50	5.00	15.50	4.75	10.75
Bemis, M. E.	46	2	100.00	.35	2.50	2.85	2.35	.50
Bemis, Jacob	37	3	50.00	8.75	5.00	13.75	4.75	9.00
Belknap, Hiram	48	2	100.00	.35	2.50	2.85	2.35	.50
Brigham, Lucretia L.	7	9	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	7.25	.25
Brigham, Dana E.	6	5	75.00	13.50	5.00	18.50	6.75	11.75
Brigham, E. M.	17	2	100.00	.37	3.75	4.12	3.50	.62
Brewer, Walter L.	25	9	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	4.50	5.00
Brewer, Arthur F.	5	11	75.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	4.00	2.50
Brown Lot	29	9	100.00	.37	3.75	4.12	3.50	.62
Buck, Mrs. Charles M.	42	6	100.00	5.50	5.00	10.50	5.50	5.00
Buck, Wallace B.	3	7	50.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	4.00	4.50
Burdett Fund	15	9	100.00		1.50	1.50	1.50	
Burnett, Charles	32	3	50.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	4.00	3.50
Chamberlain, Ephraim	10	3	100.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Chamberlain, John	6	3	50.00	9.50	5.00	14.50	5.00	9.50

Chamberlain, Ellen Jane	7	1	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	4.00	3.50	8
Choate, E. C.	50	11	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	5.00	7.50	
Clifford, William D.	20	4	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23	
Coldwell, William H.	30	10	100.00		4.20	4.20	2.50	1.70	
Colleary, Wm. and John	17	12	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.75	.75	
Cook, Hiram E., Mrs.	33	9	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	5.00	7.50	
Collins, William	18-4	4-10	150.00	10.78	7.50	18.28	8.00	10.28	
Collins, Leander A.	3	9	75.00	1.37	3.75	5.12	5.00	.12	
Davis, Benjamin	2	2	100.00	9.50	5.00	14.50	5.00	9.50	
Dillingham, Benj. C.	22	4	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50	
Este, F. F.	43	3	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50	
Eames, Jon. G. Fund	50	7	100.00		3.75	3.75	2.50	1.25	
Fay, Maria H., Mrs.	9	3	100.00	11.50	5.00	16.50	10.00	6.50	
Fay, Manassah	9	2	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50	
Fay, Josiah C.	1-44	2-3	125.00	.64	6.25	6.89	6.00	.89	
Fay, Temple	33	7	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50	
Fay, Francis A.	2	11	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50	
Fay, Mary M.	11	9	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23	
Fisher, Sarah, Miss	21	4	100.00	6.50	5.00	11.50	5.00	6.50	
Fisher, George C.	43-43 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50	
Follensby, Lyman	54	11	75.00	.37	3.75	4.12	3.50	.62	

Follensby, Francis A.								
and Edmund Bailey	28	8	100.00		2.50	2.50	2.50	
Gilmore, Nelson	43	7	100.00	8.50	5.00	13.50	5.00	8.50
Gibson, John T.	1	6	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Gilbert, Ella Howe								
Balcome	31	7	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Glidden, John, Mrs.	34	11	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Guild, E. A.	19	10	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
Hammond, John W.	23	2	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Harrington, Levi	29	7	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Haynes, Frank E. and								
Henry L. Sawtelle	24	2	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Henry, W. H. and								
Artemas Moore	19	1	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Hodge, Roswell B.	16	10	75.00	.37	3.75	4.12	3.50	.62
Howe, Ashbel	47	3	100.00	9.50	5.00	14.50	6.00	8.50
Howard, Isaac	36	9	75.00	.37	3.75	4.12	3.50	.62
Hyde, Harriet M.	3	10	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Hyde, Abraham, Hrs. of	12	3	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	4.00	2.75
Jennison, Mary	47	7	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	5.00	7.50
Jennison, William	43	6	100.00		4.00	4.00	2.50	1.50
Jennison, Joseph	40	3	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50

Johnson, Addison	25	2	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50
Johnson, Lewis F. and Nathan L.	51-52	6	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Kaler, Aristed D.	30	7	100.00		2.50	2.50	2.50	
Kelley, John	3	13	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Knight and Green	16	6	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Lane, George E.	23	9	75.00	.37	3.75	4.12	3.50	.12
Long, Samuel and Sarah	24	10	100.00					
McCarthy, James	21	12	100.00		5.00	5.00		5.00
McQuarrie, A.	1	1	75.00	2.37	3.75	6.12	3.50	2.62
Mitchell, Michael	40	9	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50
Mitchell, D. W., Mrs.	38	11	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50
Mixer Lot	25	5	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	6.00	3.50
Moore, Susan	19	9	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Morse, Harriet E.	20	3	100.00	.51	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Moulton, Fred, Hrs. of	50	6	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Murry, Timothy	28	9	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Neal, Harrison	11-1	1-10	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Newton, Adoniram J.	51	11	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
Newton, Albro	29	10	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Newton, Charles H.	48	2A	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Newton, Curtis	29	3	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	7.50	5.00

Newton, Harvey	28	1	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Newton, Lincoln, Hrs. of	27	4	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Newton, Lucy	26	10	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Newton, Stephen and Dexter	21	3	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Newton, Sullivan B.	34	8	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
Newton, Sylvester	25	3	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Nichols, Mary A., Mrs.	51	7	100.00	12.50	5.00	17.50	12.50	5.00
Nichols, Horace	17	9	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	5.00	7.50
Nye, Daniel B. and Edmund R. Kaler	42	7	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
O'Leary, J. Otis	36	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Oliver, H. Kimble	E	B	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	6.00	1.50
Onthank, Charles H.	49-50	3	150.00	3.78	7.50	11.28	7.00	4.28
Onthank, Nahum H.	24	1	100.00	1.17	5.00	6.17	5.00	1.17
Onthank, W. A. and Clara I. Houghton	21	11	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Parker, Hiram, Mrs.	22	1	75.00	1.37	3.75	5.12	4.00	1.12
Parker, Charles S.	34	6	100.00	.35	5.00	5.35	4.00	1.35
Parmenter, Warren	.30	3	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
Pearl, Lois D.	34	9	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Prentiss, Abner	$\frac{1}{2}$ -48	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23

Prentiss, B. F., Mrs.	$\frac{1}{2}$ -48	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Robinson, J. H., Est. of A	A	A	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Rogers, Frederick and Onthank	51	3	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	6.00	.50
Salmon, Patrick	8	12	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Sawin, C. B.	25	6	75.00	.18	3.75	3.93	3.50	.43
Shuttleworth, Peter	6	10	100.00		2.50	2.50	2.50	
Smith, Isaac, Hrs. of	52	3	100.00	6.50	5.00	11.50	6.00	5.50
Smith, Addison, Hrs. of	33	11	75.00	.37	3.75	4.12	3.50	.62
Smith, William W.	15	8	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50
Smith, Samuel A.	33	6	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50
Snow, Ella F.	22	8	100.00	.50	5.00	5.00	5.00	.50
Sparrowk, John	35	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Taylor, Abbie A.	45	11	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Taylor, Charles E.	32	12	75.00	.37	3.75	4.12	3.50	.62
Waldron, E. J.	1	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Ward, Ephraim	23	3	100.00	14.50	5.00	19.50	9.00	10.50
Ward and Boutilier	29	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Webster, Horace F.	2	6	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Walker, Lorenzo	18	5	100.00		5.00	5.00	4.00	1.00
Williams, Ella E. and and Sibley Lot	54	4	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23

Williams and Marshall	16	5	100.00	6.50	5.00	11.50	5.00	6.50
Whiting, Seth	8	3	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	6.00	3.50
Whiting, Edward	16	3	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.50	.23
Whittemore, Marshall	15	5	100.00	14.50	5.00	19.50	6.00	13.50
Woodward, F. R. and John L. Bosquet	6-13	8	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Wood, C. A.	30-32	9	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Wyman, Hannah	52	2A	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	6.00	2.50

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1921.

Total number of stables inspected	73
Number of dairy cows inspected	761
Number of young cattle inspected	170
Number of bulls inspected	26
Total number of cattle inspected	957
Number of swine inspected	140
Number of goats inspected	8
Number of sheep inspected	1
Total number of animals inspected	1,106
Number of cattle quarantined	3
Number of cattle killed	2
Number of cattle released	1

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. ONTHANK,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN, YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1921

The gypsy moth situation is about the same as last year. I have to call to mind the storm of November 28th and 29th, which caused unestimable damage to our trees. I think that with proper care, we will not lose many. I might take this opportunity to warn the property owners against using any paint that contains turpentine, as it is penetrating and of a burning nature that will kill the bark of trees.

Experts say that the bleeding of maples will not do any material harm, unless they are allowed to bleed for two years.

I have used up the special appropriation I had, but would say that the dangerous and hanging limbs on the highway have not been entirely removed, but work is progressing and they will have to be removed to protect the town.

I would ask for \$3,500, for the proper maintenance of the gypsy moth department and I should say that I needed \$4,000 for the caring of the trees on the highway, all of which I respectfully submit.

HARRY BURNETT,
Tree Warden.

January 10th, 1922.

THE FAY LIBRARY REPORT

Herewith are submitted the Librarian's report, and a list of books added to the Fay Library during 1921.

REV. ROBERT F. CHENEY, Chairman
CHARLES F. CHOATE, JR.
REV. JAMES P. CURRAN,
CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,
PAUL S. LINCOLN,
FREDERICK C. STAPLES.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT, 1921

Number of volumes in Library	14,913
Number of volumes purchased	109
Number of volumes donated	108
Number of books delivered	9,939
Number of books delivered in Southville	986
Number of books delivered in Fayville	1,608
Largest number of books delived in a day	119
Largest number of books delivered in a month	959
Smallest number of books delivered in a day	1
Smallest number of books delivered in a month	596
Average attendance a day	19
Average attendance a month	460
Fines collected	\$28.08
Books delivered in Southboro in the following classes:	
000 General Works	0
100 Philosophy	42
200 Religion	18
300 Sociology	173
400 Philology	0
500 Science	66
600 Useful Arts	58
700 Fine Arts	53
800 Literature	168
900-909	

930-999 History	58
910-919 Travel	113
920. Biography	93
Fiction	7687
Current Periodicals	424

Books delivered in Southville in the following classes:

200 Religion	1
200 Sociology	1
400 Philology	1
600 Useful Arts	1
800 Literature	2
900-909	
930-999 History	1
920 Biography	1
Fiction	978

Books delivered in Fayville in the following classes:

100 Philosophy	16
Fiction	1554
Current Periodicals	54

Respectfully submitted,

S. V. STIVERS,
Librarian.

BOOKS AT FAY LIBRARY ADDED DURING 1921

GENERAL WORKS

- Columbia Encyclopedia. Marshall Everett.
 The Country Weekly. Phil C. Bing.
 Report of the Librarian of Congress. Herbert Putnam.
 U. S. Catalog Supplement. E. E. Hawkins.

PHILOSOPHY

- New propositions in speculative & practical philosophy.
 L. S. Richards.
 The world of a department store. Bradford Peck.

RELIGION

- The history of Christianity. W. E. Gardner.
 The story of Jesus Christ. E. S. Phelps.

SOCIOLOGY

- Acts and Resolves. Mass. General Court.
 American citizenship. C. A. Beard & M. A. Beard.
 Annual report. Com. of Banks. 2 vol.
 Annual report. Com. of Insurance.
 Annual report. Interstate Commerce Com. 2 vol.
 Annual report. Mass. Board of Health.
 Annual report. Department of Education.
 Annual report. Mass. Vital Statistics. 1919.
 Biennial Survey of Education, 1916-18. 2 vol.
 Elementary banking. J. F. Ebersole.
 Journal of the G. A. R., 1920. Mass.

Journal of the House, 1920. Mass.
 Journal of the House extra session.
 Journal of the House, 1715-1720. 2 vol.
 Journal of the Senate, 1920. Mass.
 Journal of the Senate extra session.
 Manual Mass. General Court, 1921.
 A new basis for social progress. White & Heath.
 "The next war." Will Irwin. 2 cop.
 Official report. Mass. Spanish War Vet.
 The public refuses to pay. F. L. Bullard.
 Report of Mass. Supreme Court. 4 vol.
 Report of Municipal finances. Mass. Bureau Stat.
 Report of Special com. Mass. General Court.
 Report on the steel strike of 1919. Interchurch Com.
 Shelby and his men. J. N. Edwards.

SCIENCE

Creative chemistry. E. E. Slosson.
 Proceedings of the U. S. National Museum. Smithsonian Inst.
 The rising tide of color. T. L. Stoddard.
 Wild flowers of N. Y. H. D. House. 2 vol.

USEFUL ARTS

The art of table setting. C. Q. Murphy.
 First annual report. Mass. Depart. of Agri. 1920.
 A first book in business methods. W. P. Teller.
 From Xylographs to lead molds. Ad 1440—Ad 1921.
 History of the world fair. G. R. Davis.
 Law for the American farmer. L. H. Bailey.
 Prevention of disease and care of the sick. W. G. Stimpson.

Year book. U. S. Depart. of Agri.

FINE ARTS

Artificial waterways of the world. A. B. Hepburn.

Bass, pike and perch. J. A. Henshall.

Doc an' Jim an' me. Newton Newkirk.

The happy hunting grounds. Kermit Roosevelt.

LITERATURE

Abraham Lincoln. John Drinkwater.

At large. A. C. Benson.

Dante's Divine Comedy.

TRAVEL

Directory, Marlboro, Hudson, etc. 1921.

Letters of travel. Rudyard Kipling.

The New England gazetteer. John Hayward.

Norwegian pictures. Richard Lovett.

Winston's new and complete Atlas of the world.

BIOGRAPHY

The Americanization of Edward Bok. E. W. Bok.

Forty immortals of Worcester and its county. Worcester Bank & Trust Co.

Life of John Caldwell Calhoun. J. S. Jenkins.

A Munsey-Hopkins genealogy. D. O. S. Lowells.

The story of Opal. O. S. Whiteley.

Theodore Roosevelt. W. R. Thayer.

Theodore Roosevelt and his times. J. B. Bishop. 2 vol.

Queen Victoria. Lytton Strachey.

Woodrow Wilson and his work. W. E. Dodd.

WAR BOOKS

Boston University World War Records.

History of the Yankee Division. H. A. Benwell.

The inside story of the Peace Conference. E. J. Dillon.
 New England in France, 1917-19. E. G. Taylor.
 Officers and enlisted men who lost their lives in the
 U. S. N.

The peace negotiations. Robert Lansing.

HISTORY

The glories of Ireland. Joseph Dunn.
 History of the American people. Beard & Bagley.
 History of Worcester county, Mass. D. H. Hurd. 2 vol.
 The making of our country. S. Burnham.
 Memorial history of Boston, 1630-1880. J. Winsor. 2
 vol.
 The outline of history. H. G. Wells. 2 vol.
 Pictorial history of America's new possessions. M. Hal-
 stead.
 The story of a great nation. J. H. Shea.

JUVENILES

Adventures of Huckleberry Finn. S. L. Clemens.
 Adventures of Tom Sawyer. S. L. Clemens.
 Bible pictures. C. Foster.
 The Burgess animal book for children.
 The Burgess bird book for children.
 The child's instructor, or learning made easy.
 Christmas Day. T. W. Handford.
 The cruise of the walnut shell. Andre.
 Delightful story book.
 A family flight through France, Germany, Norway and
 Switzerland. Rev. E. E. Hale.
 Happy days of childhood.
 A chance for himself. J. T. Trowbridge.

- Cudjo's Cave. J. T. Trowbridge.
 Doing his best. J. T. Trowbridge.
 Fast friends. J. T. Trowbridge.
 Jack Hazard and his fortunes. J. T. Trowbridge.
 Lawrence's adventures. J. T. Trowbridge.
 The young surveyor. J. T. Trowbridge.
 A little maid of Mass. colony. A. T. Curtis.
 A little maid from Old Maine. A. T. Curtis.
 Lives of the Presidents of the U. S.
 Our darling's story book.
 Play time.
 Pleasant stories and pleasing rhymes for little people.
 Poetry and pictures for the little ones. T. W. Hand-
 ford.
 Rollo at school. Jacob Abbott.
 Rollo at work. Jacob Abbott.
 Rollo's experiments. Jacob Abbott.
 Rollo learning to talk. Jacob Abbott.
 The Rollo philosophy, Fire. Jacob Abbott.
 The Rollo philosophy, Sky. Jacob Abbott.
 Rollo's travels. Jacob Abbott.
 Sandford and Merton. M. Godolphin.
 Santa Claus on a lark. W. Gladden. 2 cop.
 Shining and bright stories.
 Story land for boys and girls.
 The varmint. O. M. Johnson.
 The wonderful city of Tokio. E. Greey.
 Worthington's annual, 1889.
 The young hero. E. S. Ellis.

FICTION

- Age of innocence. E. N. J. Wharton.
 Alice Adams. N. B. Tarkington.
 Blind. E. Poole.
 The Chinese coat. J. B. Lee.
 Cloudy Jewel. Mrs. Grace Lutz.
 The crooked house. B. Fleming.
 The danger trail. J. O. Curwood.
 Dumb-Bell of Brookfield. J. T. Foote.
 Egan. H. Hall.
 Ellen Levis. E. Singmaster.
 The enchanted canyon. H. M. Willsie.
 The film mystery. A. B. Reeve.
 The foolish lovers. St. John Ervine.
 Calusha the magnificent. J. C. Lincoln.
 The girl in his house. H. MacGrath.
 Gli Americani. A. Pecorini.
 The gold bug and other stories. E. A. Poe.
 The goose girl. H. MacGrath.
 The great pearl secret. C. N. Williamson.
 The green bough. E. T. Thurston.
 Gunsight Pass. W. M. Raine.
 Helen of the old house. H. B. Wright.
 The honor of the big snows. J. O. Curwood.
 Humoresque. F. Hurst.
 The imperial Orgy. E. E. Saltus.
 Jacob's ladder. E. P. Oppenheim.
 Joanna builds a nest. J. W. Tompkins.
 The knight of lonely land. E. Campbell.
 Lister's great adventure. H. Blindloss.

The look of eagles. J. T. Foote.
Lucinda. A. H. Hawkins.
Main Street. S. Lewis.
The man from Ashaluna. H. P. Dowst.
The man in the dark. A. P. Terhune.
Man to man. J. Gregory.
Martie the unconquered. K. Norris.
The mountebank. W. J. Locke.
Mr. Opp. A. C. Rice.
The mysterious rider. Zane Grey.
The pagan madonna. H. MacGrath.
The peddler. H. C. Rowland.
Potterism. R. Macaulay.
The search. Mrs. Grace Lutz.
Sister Sue. E. H. Porter.
Sleuth of St. James Square. M. D. Post.
Slippery McGee. M. C. Oemler.
Still Jim. H. M. Willsie.
Timber Wolves. B. Cronin.
The tryst. Mrs. Grace Lutz.
The unseen ear. N. S. Lincoln.
The vagrant duke. G. F. Gibbs.
Val of Paradise. V. E. Roe.
Youth in Harley. G. H. Gerould.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
School Committee
OF
Southborough, Massachusetts
For the Year Ending December 31
1921



REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Partly, it must be confessed, thro good fortune, and partly owing to support of the town in granting an increased appropriation, the Committee is able to report favorably on the general condition of the schools. This, we feel, must be apparent to all whose interest induces them to give the matter any thoughtful attention.

In June, it appeared no easy task to fill, as we would have them filled, vacancies of such importance as the Principalship of the Peters High School, the Head of its Commercial Department, and to find, for Grade VIII., a teacher to succeed Miss Moore, whose resignation the Committee has accepted with much regret. But these, and such other positions as were vacated, have been filled without material increase in the salary account.

In the two following matters, there has been effected a saving of some \$700.

(1) A careful watch on purchase of supplies has reduced that account about 20%.

(2) The urgent need of rather sweeping improvement in conditions at the Peters High School not only demanded a considerable outlay, but called for expert advice. It was on this advice, when secured, that the

Committee based its request for a generous Special Fund. However, before undertaking the work, or entering into any contracts on this basis, appeal was made to the State Inspector of Public Buildings, and after carrying out his every suggestion in a manner entirely satisfactory to him, the Board is able to return to the town between \$500 and \$600.

Furthermore, we can report all school buildings as being now strictly up to State requirements in both sanitation and safety.

Therefore in the sanitary condition and general upkeep of the school properties there is a distinct advance. Our feeling is that they should not be allowed to deteriorate, because of the influence exerted on teachers and pupils alike by the surroundings in which they work—to say nothing of the increased expense which such a policy would involve.

Therein lies the chief merit of a Contingent Fund—often advocated, but never seriously considered—that if need of more than “ordinary repairs” arise suddenly, the work can be done at the time, and not be compelled to await (while need and damage and cost increase) the slow and involved process of a Special Appropriation. Checks and safeguards can be devised against even the slightest unwise, or unwarranted, use of such money, and against a transferring of it to any other Fund or Account.

As for the matter of gaining an extra room, much needed in the High School, by restoring a partition in the Science Laboratory—this plan was felt to be un-

wise, owing to the certainty of its interfering with the heating and ventilating systems. The lack of this room continues to hinder the smooth running of the school.

Last year, the activities of the Parent-Teachers' Association were extended to the furnishing of hot lunches, at cost, to pupils remaining thro the noon hour. That this service met, and still meets, a distinct demand, is shown by the number of scholars taking advantage of it—either wholly or in part.

Health Examination and Supervision are continued, and new apparatus has been provided for the work of the Dental Examiner.

Due recognition is hereby made of all—pupils no less than teachers—who by effort or example have advanced the welfare of their respective schools.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMEUL CLARK,
PHYLIS BURNETT,
FREDERICK C. STAPLES.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee,
Town of Southborough:

There are doubtless many questions about the public schools of Southborough, their organization, their administration, the cost of their support and the outlook for their improvement that the citizens of the Town would like to find answered in the report of the School Department. It is my purpose at this time to raise some of these questions and to attempt briefly to answer them.

Question. How do the schools of Southborough this year compare in size with the same item ten years ago?

Answer. The total membership for the fall term of 1921 has been slightly lower than it was ten years ago, with a greatly diminished distribution among the middle grades, but with nearly double the registration in the High School this year. The census figures for the year 1921 are also slightly lower than those for 1911, notwithstanding an additional year in the age limit at the last enumeration.

Q. How does the cost of school support in 1921 compare with that in 1911?

A. The total cost of school support for the past year has been nearly two and one-third times as great

as it was ten years ago.

Q. What items of the annual budget are chiefly responsible for this great increase in the cost of maintaining the schools?

A. Teachers' salaries are, in the aggregate, practically three times as high as they were ten years ago. The minimum salary at which a teacher may legally be engaged for service in Massachusetts is today practically double the salary paid to elementary teachers in Southborough ten years ago, and it would be nearly impossible to secure a teacher having satisfactory training at the legal minimum at the present time. Transportation of the pupils cost nearly twice as much as in 1911 and the fuel cost the past year has been more than twice as great as the same item a decade ago. Books and supplies, janitor service, almost everything in the way of materials or service has increased in cost in about the same proportion as the items mentioned.

Q. Is there any prospect for lower school costs?

A. There will probably be a very material decrease in the cost of books and supplies for the year, 1922. The other items will not show much, if any, decrease in cost for some time to come.

Q. How much revenue does the Town receive outside of local taxation on account of the School Department?

A. The amount received in 1921 from all other sources than local taxation was \$5,823.61.

Q. Can the Town depend upon receiving this amount of outside income on account of the School De-

partment indefinitely?

A. No. The increasing valuation of the Town has already eliminated one item of such income from calculation. A communication from the State House, under date, Jan. 3, 1922, reads as follows: "According to the report of the assessors to the Department of Corporations and Taxation, the valuation of Southborough was \$2,794,835. on April 1, 1921.

"Under the provisions of Part II., Chapter 70, of the General Laws, the Town will, therefore, not be entitled to participate in the distribution of the income of the Massachusetts School Fund, on Mar. 10, 1922."

Q. How much will the annual decrease in outside income be on this account?

A. The amount received in 1921 on this account was \$827.67. It has not varied greatly from this figure in recent years.

Q. Are there other items of the outside income account that are in danger of being eliminated through the operation of an increasing valuation of the Town?

A. Yes. The High School grant, amounting to \$1,135.71, in 1921, and not likely to vary much, if any, from year to year, will not be continued when the valuation per pupil in the average membership of the Town, \$8,105, in the year 1921, exceeds the same item for the State, \$9,057, in the same year. It is simply a question as to which one of the two, that for the Town or that for the State, increases the more rapidly. The other items of the School Department's outside income appear to be secure for years to come.

Q. To what extent has the educational product of

the schools of Southborough improved during this period of increasing costs of school support?

A. The improvement in the educational product of the public schools of Southborough in ten years has been considerable, evidenced not only by the increasing registration in the High School, but also by the increasing interest in the continuation of educational efforts beyond graduation from the High School. Out of a class of thirteen graduating from High School, in June, 1921, eleven are now pursuing courses of further training, the better to prepare themselves for their life careers. Not only has there been considerable improvement in the educational product of our schools, but there has also been a very material extension in what may be called the educational opportunity by way of the improved physical conditions of the school accommodations and the better organization of the teaching force. It used to be the custom to waste the first three or four days of the fall term of the High School in getting organized for work. Now, the organization of the High School for the following year's work is completed before the end of the spring term. Every teacher, every pupil knows before the end of the spring term the work he or she is to do the next year and complete records of the organization are kept on file, so that no time is lost, even on the first day of school, in trying to decide what is best to do. Parents are also taken into the School's confidence in the spring term of each year and are made acquainted with the exact status of their own children, as to the number of credits

toward graduation thus far earned and the credit values of the courses proposed for the next year's work. Thus, educational opportunity is extended by organization to eliminate mistakes and to prevent misunderstandings.

Q. Why is it necessary to have a school nurse in Southborough?

A. A law recently passed makes it mandatory for towns in Massachusetts having a valuation in excess of one million dollars to provide this service for their schools.

Q. What benefits will accrue to the schools as a result of this service?

A. The employment of a school nurse insures constant oversight of the children as to their health, by one who is competent to detect morbid conditions, whether in their incipient stages or so far advanced that the disorders have become deep-seated and chronic. It insures for the children not only the knowledge of what one ought to do to promote good health, but also a real training in health habits. It provides a "follow-up" program in cases of chronic disorders, such as, for example, decayed teeth, adenoids and enlarged glands. The additional treatment of the teeth alone, which the "follow-up" program promises, should be worth, in the future health and vigor of those who are now children, many times the cost of this service. Then, too, the better control of contagious diseases, the greater likelihood of preventing their becoming epidemic, would alone justify the expenditure for this health program.

Q. What are the standards by which the successes and failures of the schools are usually measured?

A. Up to very recently personal opinion has been the criterion the country over by which the schools have been judged to be good, poor, excellent or indifferent.

Q. Is personal opinion a safe standard by which to judge the quality of a school?

A. Only in a very limited sense is it possible justly to place reliability upon personal opinion as a basis of judgment of the quality of instruction.

Q. What is personal opinion's greatest weakness in this connection?

A. It is very much subject to personal bias and it exhibits the greatest extremes of variability in individual cases. For example, one examiner might judge the penmanship of a school to be good from an inspection of one sample page written by one individual pupil. This same sample page might appeal to another examiner or the same examiner at another time as poor. Again two individuals might examine the penmanship of a whole school and come to widely different judgments as to the quality of the instruction in penmanship in that school, if guided only by their personal opinions formed from a casual examination of the work done.

Q. Is there available at the present time any method of determination of the quality of instruction in the schools which eliminates the operation of personal opinion from the conclusions?

A. Yes. Standardized tests and measuring scales have come into quite general use for this purpose dur-

ing the last two or three years. For example, a penmanship scale, consisting of eight samples of children's handwriting, grading in a corresponding number of qualities, 2 to 9 inclusive, has been devised by the Russell Sage Foundation. These several samples or qualities are standards. The specimen to be tested is given the grading of the sample in the scale to which it approaches nearest in point of quality. As the scale has been used in testing the penmanship of thousands of children, it is known what percentages of children in Grade VI., for instance, in any school system, should measure up to the several qualities or grades of the scale. It is only within the last two or three weeks this scale has become available. Published by so reliable an organization as the Russell Sage Foundation, this scale may be used, it would seem, with confidence in its reliability.

Q. Are standardized tests available for determining the quality of instruction in the other subjects of the curriculum?

A. Yes. There is an almost overwhelming number of them coming from every part of the country. Some are doubtless better than others, and it thus becomes necessary to do some experimenting in their use before placing great reliance upon them as satisfactory measures of school efficiency.

Q. Have any of these standardized tests been applied in the schools of Southborough?

A. Reliable tests in spelling and arithmetic have been used to a considerable extent the past year.

Q. How did the schools of Southborough measure

up under these tests?

A. They were not quite up to grade at the time they were first tested, but have since shown considerable improvement at later applications of the tests.

Q. What are the chief advantages in the use of standardized tests?

A. They stimulate both the teachers and pupils to greater and better directed efforts and afford us all the satisfaction of knowing where we stand in comparison with other schools.

Q. How soon will it be possible to obtain a comprehensive view of the status of the schools of Southborough, on the basis of standardized tests?

A. It is my own conviction that the application of these tests should have a very important place in our educational program. I shall doubtless be able to present some worthwhile conclusions as to the educational product of the schools of Southborough, based not upon personal opinion, but upon the facts as indicated by the results of the application of standardized tests, before the end of the present school year.

Q. Are the living conditions of the out-of-town teachers satisfactory at the present time?

A. Yes. They are very satisfactory for the time being. The problem, however, arises as to how long the present satisfactory arrangements can be continued. It would seem to be the part of wisdom to establish in some way living conditions for our out-of-town teachers on a permanent basis, instead of on the year-at-a-time basis, which now obtains.

These are a few of the school questions which would

seem naturally to arise in the minds of the citizens of Southborough. There are doubtless many more, perhaps, just as significant as the foregoing, but their answers would extend this report to undue proportions.

The report of the Principal of the High School follows and I commend it your careful consideration. The statistical data and financial statement will be found in the appendix to this report.

In conclusion, I would express my appreciation of the helpful attitude and cooperation of the School Committee.

Very respectfully submitted,
FREDERICK B. VAN ORNUM,
Supt. of Schools.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF PETERS' HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools,
Southborough, Massachusetts.

I hereby submit my report for the year ending December 31st, 1921. Having been in charge less than four months I shall be unable to present a detailed statement, nor can I deal at length with the past, but must confine my report to the present and the future.

The graduates of last year have continued their work as follows: Four have entered college, four are in normal schools, one attends a business school, two are doing office work, one is training at a hospital, and one has returned to Peters' High School, for post-graduate work.

The enrollment at present is as follows:

HIGH SCHOOL				
Class	Courses			Total
	Academic	Commercial	Vocational	
Freshmen				
Girls	8	4	1	13
Boys	6	3	3	12
Sophomore				
Girls	3	4	3	10
Boys	1	5	5	11

Junior				
Girls	2	10	0	12
Boys	0	4	2	7
Senior				
Girls	1	4	2	7
Boys	3	1	1	5
Post Graduate	1			1
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Total	25	35	18	78

GRADES

	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	VII.	VIII.	Total
Girls	11	7	5	11	8	10	15	10	77
Boys	11	8	9	6	4	8	13	10	69
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	22	15	14	17	12	18	28	20	146

Grand total 224.

A table of the courses offered in the High School, and the number of students in each course follows:

Subject	No.	Subject	No.
English I.	26	Comm. Arith.	27
English II.	18	Bookkeeping III.	14
English III.	18	Typewriting II.	14
English IV.	13	Typewriting III.	14
Elm. Science I. and II.	24	Typewriting IV.	4
Physics III. and IV.	7	Stenography III.	13
Ancient Hist. I. and II.	27	Home Economics I.	9
Elm. Algebra II.	10	Home Economics II.	13
Plane Geom. III.	9	Freehand Drawing I.	14
Review Math. IV.	8	Mech. Drawing I.	12
Latin I.	16	Mech. Drawing II.	10
Cesar II.	4	Manual Training I.	12

Cicero II. and IV.	5	Manual Training II.	10
French II.	19	Manual Training III.	4
French III.	13	Amer. Hist. II. and IV.	15
French IV.	6	Music, all students	78

As an indication of the quality of work done in the High School, the following table is included. It sets forth the number of A, B, C, and D Grades received by the boys and girls separately and collectively, with percentages:

SENIOR CLASS

Grade	Boys	%	Girls	%	All	%
A	17	20.2	22	20.4	39	21.9
B	51	60.7	40	42.5	91	51.1
C	15	17.8	29	30.8	44	24.7
D	1	1.2	3	3.1	4	2.2

JUNIOR CLASS

A	3	3.2	33	19.4	36	13.7
B	36	39.5	109	64.1	145	55.5
C	38	41.6	28	16.5	66	21.4
D	14	15.7	0	0	14	9.4

SOPHOMORE CLASS

A	17	13.1	19	13.7	36	18.2
B	25	26.3	83	61.6	108	37.2
C	59	46.1	32	23.4	91	32.5
D	19	14.5	2	1.3	21	12.1

FRESHMAN CLASS

A	8	5.4	17	9.	25	7.4
B	49	33.2	85	44.9	134	39.7
C	77	51.9	80	42.4	157	46.4
D	14	9.5	7	3.7	21	6.5

By comparison with the percentages of last year a slight improvement in scholarship may be noted.

The war has had its effect upon the morale of every school in our country. As Southborough is no exception, the general spirit in the school may be improved, and I am sure will be in the near future. For the same reason the scholarship is below normal, but this also is steadily improving.

Our teachers meet Tuesday of each week to discuss problems of school management, and to report on progress in educational procedure, which has come to their attention, through reading or observation during the week.

This fall the boys played foot ball, and although they were beaten often, they learned to be good losers, and next year may show up differently. Both boys and girls have basket ball teams, and are practicing faithfully. At a recent meeting of the School Board it was voted to allow the use of the High School Gymnasium for basket ball games. The action of the Board is very gratifying to the students, and already they have organized an Athletic Association, for the support and management of athletics in the school. All these are signs of a change in spirit, which I believe promises a happy future. Next year I hope it may be possible to have an athletic coach, either a town boy, willing to give his services without pay, or a teacher, who will be able to give part of his time to coaching athletics.

The Parent-Teachers' Association has up to the present been furnishing school lunches at cost, and these have been greatly enjoyed by the boys and girls who

are obliged to remain at school during the noon hour. With the excellent equipment of the Domestic Arts Department this has been done very satisfactorily.

The recent installation of a fire alarm system makes it now possible to notify students and clear the building completely in one and one-half minutes. Fire escapes in the rear of the building are evidence that the School Board realizes the possibility of fire, and have taken all necessary steps to minimize this danger. Fire drills have been practiced, so that each student knows exactly what to do in case of an alarm.

There has been very little unnecessary tardiness so far and a great deal of credit is due the barge drivers for their punctuality and co-operation.

In closing, may I state that the people of Southborough are to be congratulated upon their well-equipped school building, especially the Domestic Arts and Manual Training Departments, and I am confident that there is an excellent opportunity to make Peters' High School one of the best in the State.

Respectfully submitted,

A. G. FLETCHER,

Principal.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

APPROPRIATIONS

General	\$31,500.00	
Special for Repairs	1,770.00	
Special for New Equipment	525.00	\$33,795.00

EXPENDITURES

General Control	1,333.53
Expenses of Instruction	
Teachers' Salaries, High School	5,800.00
Teachers' Salaries, Elementary	10,156.00
Teachers' Salaries, Special	
Teachers	2,389.00
Car Fares of Pupil Teachers	
and Wages of Substitutes	141.43
Books and Supplies	1,809.21
Operating Expenses,	
Janitors' Wages	2,262.88
Fuel	2,539.99
Electric Current and Janitors'	
Supplies	326.90
Maintenance, Ordinary Repairs	208.51
Auxiliary Agencies,	
Health	293.95
Transportation, Barges	2,404.00
Transportation, Electric Cars	1,105.93

Transportation, to Ashland	75.00	
Miscellaneous Expenses,		
Sundries	139.48	
Tuition, to Ashland	30.00	31,015.81
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Special Repairs	1,608.18	
New Equipment	385.56	1,993.74
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Grand total		33,009.55

RECEIPTS

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,		
Gen. School Fund, Part 1	2,407.50	
Gen. School Fund, Part 2	827.67	
High School Grant	1,135.71	
Reimbursement, acc. Supt. of		
Schools	578.63	
Tuition, State Wards	624.10	
Tuition, Town of Hopkinton	160.00	
Refunds	90.00	5,823.61
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Net Cost to Town		27,185.94
Balance Unexpended		785.40

APPROPRIATION

Trade School Tuitions		500.00
Expended		594.99
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Overdrawn		94.99
Reimbursement by State	228.18	
Net Cost to Town	366.81	

EXPENDITURES IN DETAIL

General Control		
Samuel E. Clark, Sal. of Sch. Com.	100.00	
Frederick C. Staples, Sal. of Sch. Com.	100.00	
Mrs. Phyllis Burnett, Sal. of Sch. Com.	100.00	
Frederick B. Van Ornum, Sal. of Supt.	854.15	
Frederick B. Van Ornum, Travel Expense of Supt.	129.38	
Sadie Stivers, Census and Employment Certificates	50.00	1,333.53

EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

Ralph C. Allen, Prin. High School, 24 weeks	1,200	
Marian Ogden, Teacher, High School, 24 weeks	870.00	
Doris M. Reed, Teacher, High School, 24 weeks	660.00	
Katherine Cornwell, Teacher, High School, 40 weeks	1,210.00	
Arthur G. Fletcher, Principal, High School, 16 weeks	880.00	
Josephine McCarthy, Teacher, High School, 16 weeks	500.00	
Martha L. Woodbury, Teacher, High School, 16 weeks	480.00	5,800.00

Elsie I. Moore, Teacher, Grade VIII., 24 weeks	750.00	
Ella L. Baxter, Teacher, Grade VIII., 16 weeks	540.00	
Margaret Donovan, Teacher, Grade VII., 2 weeks	52.50	
Sara Murphy, Teacher, Grade VII., 38 weeks	1,057.50	
Dorothy Lockett, Teacher, Grades V. and VI., 22 weeks	627.00	
Mary Finn, Teacher, Grade V. and VI., 16 weeks	504.00	
Aileen Kearney, Teacher, Grade III. and IV., 22 weeks	567.00	
Helen Sullivan, Teacher, Grades III. and IV., 16 weeks	420.00	
Florence Bassett, Teacher, Grades I. and II., 40 weeks	938.00	
Margaret Neary, Teacher, Grades I. and III., Fayville, 38 weeks	1,148.00	
Julia F. Gleason, Prin. South Union School, Grades VII. and VIII., 40 weeks	1,290.00	
Annie M. Dodd, Teacher, Grades IV. and VI., 38 weeks	1,131.00	
Mary Reagan, Teacher, Grades I. and III., 38 weeks	1,131.00	\$10,156.00
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Mrs. Alice E. Brigham, Special Teacher, Music, 10 mos.	335.00	

Mildred Christenson, Special Teacher, Drawing, 6 mos.	165.00	
Lillian Swanson, Special Teacher, Drawing, 4 mos.	110.00	
Martha Tower, Special Teacher, Domestic Arts, 10 mos.	624.00	
J. Augustus Prendiville, Special Teacher, Man. Training, 10 mos.	1,155.00	2,389.00
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Hazel Wolf, car fares and substi- tute service	15.00	
Ruth E. Powers, car fare and substi- tute service	4.77	
Mildred E. Simpson, car fares and substitute service	6.30	
Mae Bentley, car fares and substi- tute service	15.00	
Mary Kimball, car fares and substi- tute service	15.00	
Florence Banks, car fares and substi- tute service	6.35	
Lucretia Collins, car fares and sub- stitute service	3.99	
Louisa A. Nicholass, car fares and substitute service	28.36	
Ruth Fanning, car fares and substi- tute service	4.20	
Mrs. Nettie Green Arkwell, car fares and substitute service	16.80	

Adeline Vara, car fares and substitute service	8.55	
Frainmgham State Normal School, substitute service	6.60	
Ruth A. Phelps, car fare and substitute service	7.60	
Helen Hathaway, car fare and substitute service	2.91	141.43

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

E. W. Ladd, supplies	6.00
Deerfoot Farm Dairy, supplies for Domestic Arts Dept.	5.27
Crossman & Co., supplies	4.92
Harry Houston, Penmanship Books	15.61
The Davis Press, Drawing supplies	5.50
Rand, McNally & Co., supplies	.85
Martha Tower, sewing supplies	16.99
H. W. Young & Co., supplies	24.66
Farley, Harvey & Co., supplies	30.69
Chandler & Farquhar Co., Manual Training supplies	2.65
Williams & Bridges, supplies for Sewing	6.00
College Book Store, Printed Tests	6.97
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., Laboratory supplies	21.88
Ginn & Co., Books	75.52
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Books	12.14
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co., Books	68.88
Allyn & Bacon, Books	46.50

Edw. E. Babb & Co., Books and supplies	810.00	
J. Augustus Prendiville, supplies	5.98	
World Book Co., Courtis Arith. Tests	80.80	
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	39.58	
The Macmillan Co., Books	7.32	
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, supplies	141.07	
The Brierly Lombard Co., supplies	1.10	
Duncan, Goodell Co., Manual Training Supplies	42.19	
Oliver Ditson & Co., music supplies	10.07	
W. H. Sawyer Lumber Co., Lumber for Manual Training Dept.	246.05	
American Book Co., Books	6.40	
Charles C. Lowell & Co., supplies	58.04	
J. Fischer & Brother, Music supplies	6.25	1,809.21

OPERATING EXPENSES

John Lowry, Janitor High Sch. Bldg.	1,033.28	
Daniel F. Kelley, Janitor South Union Sch. Bldg.	966.60	
Mrs. Thomas Lawrence, Janitor Fayetteville Prim. Bldg.	263.00	2,262.88
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D. C. Nichols, coal	2,484.36	
Alvah Ruggles, wood	11.63	
Robt. H. Johnson, wood	12.00	
P. N. Uhlman, wood	32.00	2,539.99

Marlboro Electric Co., current for		
light, heat and power	129.09	
H. W. Young & Co., janitors' supplies	21.87	
J. Cushing & Co., janitors' supplies	5.50	
Adolph Gaucher	20.00	
Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., disinfectant	3.10	
Arthur C. Lamson, supplies	4.50	
Joseph Brock, trimming trees	10.00	
Cyclone Brush Co., floor brushes	6.25	
D. F. Kelley, cash paid for supplies	4.96	
Dennison Mfg. Co., paper napkins	4.40	
Edw. E. Babb & Co., supplies	52.85	
Fayville Store, supplies	2.53	
Henry L. Sawyer Co.	5.85	
Mrs. Thomas Lawrence, extra clean-		
ing and service	33.00	
D. C. Nichols, freight charges	5.00	
Howard G. Hunt	18.00	326.90

MAINTENANCE

J. L. Hammett Co., material for reps.	13.00
John Sealey, shaping irons for hoist	6.00
Pasquale Mauro	8.25
G. M. Fair, Sanitary Inspection	
and Report	26.50
Arthur C. Lamson, material for reps.	8.49
Bigelow & St. Onge, repairs	6.00
C. H. Thompson, repairs	23.28
J. J. Hanley, repairs	2.63
J. W. Barney, painting	12.75

George W. Miller, repairs	15.30	
Alfred F. Foote	6.00	
H. W. Young & Co., material for repairs	8.86	
Eugene Clossen, construction of hoist, etc.	7.93	
P. S. Lincoln, material for repairs	37.85	
Ford Plumbing & Heating Co., material for repairs	4.67	
W. H. Eastman	21.00	208.51

AUXILIARY AGENCIES

J. L. Bacon, M. D., Medical Inspection of Schools	100.00	
Arthur Webster, D. D. O., Dental Examination of Schools	50.00	
Southboro Drug Store, supplies	3.95	
Veida Donlan, School Nurse, 14 weeks	140.00	293.95

Boston & Worcester St. R.R. Co., School Tickets	1,105.93	
A. J. Toombs, Driving School Barge	805.00	
E. C. Wells, Driving School Barge	780.00	
Myles Byrne, Driving School Barge	819.00	
A. C. Whittemore, conveying children to Ashland Schools	75.00	3,584.93

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES

H. W. Young & Co., sundries	2.72	
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Ralph C. Allen, sundries	8.53	
Margaret Neary, cash paid, express.	.53	
J. Augustus Prendiville, sundries	10.00	
G. W. Coombs, High School Graduation, Address	15.00	
W. B. Crombie, printing programs	26.00	
Daniel F. Kelley, express paid	.70	
W. H. Gleason & Son, printing cards	2.80	
Boston & Worcester St. R.R. Co., freight charges	6.90	
Arthur G. Fletcher, postage and tel. tolls	2.37	
Geo. E. Ladd, sundries	2.00	
H. Burnett, trimming trees	9.00	
Southboro Print Shop, printing letter heads programs and Report Cards	41.25	
Edw. E. Babb & Co., sundries	4.77	
Houghton Mifflin & Co., parcel post charge	.16	
Frederick B. Van Ornum, postage	2.60	
C. L. Fairbanks, expressage	4.15	139.48

Town of Ashland, School Dept., Tuition	30.00
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NEW EQUIPMENT

Underwood Typewriter Co., type-writers	249.09
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, Typewriter Tables	49.53
Arthur C. Lamson, Fire Extinguisher	10.30
Singer Sewing Machine Co., Sew-	

ing Machine	39.52	
Chandler & Barber, Manual Training Equipment	6.52	
Alfred L. Brown Associates, motor for Pump	30.60	385.56

SPECIAL REPAIRS

A. H. Draper	92.80	
F. J. Wallace	14.77	
Puritan Iron Works, Fire Escape for Manual Training Annex	215.00	
Eugene Clossen, repairing furnace and Boilers	133.98	
Avery Furniture Co., repairing window shades in High School Bldg.	52.00	
George W. Miller, repairs	221.10	
P. J. O'Reilly, cement work in basement	339.50	
Samson Electric Co., Fire Alarm System in High School Bldg.	124.50	
Geo. B. Herrick, installation of Fire Alarm System	202.04	
J. W. Barney, painting	212.49	1,608.18

SCHOOL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1921

Number of persons in town between the ages of 5 and 7 years: boys, 35; girls, 24; total, 59.

Number of persons in town between the ages of

7 and 14 years: boys, 88; girls, 105; total, 193.

Number of persons in town between the ages of
14 and 16 years: boys, 32; girls, 31; total, 63.

ATTENDANCE DATA, YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
1921

Total Enrollment for all the schools	322
Average Membership	303
Average Daily Attendance	281

ENROLLMENT, FALL TERM, BY SCHOOLS, 1921

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1st Year	2nd Year	3rd Year	4th Year	Post Grad.	Ttl.
High School Bldg.														
High School														
Room 5									25	21	19	12	1	78
Mrs. Baxter								20						20
Room 4														
Miss Murphy							28							28
Room 3														
Miss Finn					12	18								30
Room 2														
Miss Sullivan			14	17										31
Room 1														137
Miss Bassett	22	15												37
Fayville Primary														
Miss Neary	9	8	11											28
So. Union School														
Room 3														
Miss Gleason							12	11						23
Room 2														
Miss Dodd				7	7	9								23
Room 1														
Miss Regan	13	8	13											34
Total	44	31	38	24	19	27	40	31	25	21	19	12	1	332

AGE-GRADE TABLE, FALL TERM, 1921

Number of Children, at the Different Ages, Attending. Ages as of Jan. 1, 1922, Months Omit'd

Age, Jan. 1, 1921	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	*A	*B	*C	Ttl.	
Grade I.		32	11	1													43	1	44	
Grade II.		1	19	10		1										1	29	1	31	
Grade III.			1	21	10					1							1	31	6	38
Grade IV.				2	14	5	1	2									2	19	3	24
Grade V.						9	4	5	1									13	6	19
Grade VI.						5	8	10	3			1					5	18	4	27
Grade VII.						1	7	13	12	4	3						8	25	7	40
Grade VIII.								7	12	9	2	1					7	21	3	31
High School									5	12	6	2					5	18	2	25
First Year																				
Second Year								1		7	9	4					8	13		21
Third Year										2	7	5	5				9	10		19
Fourth Year												5	5				5	6	1	12
Post Graduate														1	1		1			1
Totals		33	31	34	24	23	21	40	33	35	27	18	10	2	1	51	247	34	332	

NOTE: The figures in Column A represent pupils who are below the normal age for the grade they are in; those in Column B those who are at the Normal Age; those in Column C those who are above the Normal Age.

TEACHERS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

SOUTHBORO, MASS., SEPTEMBER, 1921

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Arthur G. Fletcher	Prin. High Sch. Science & Math.	Canton, Mass.	*Harvard College
Katherine Cornwell	Asst. High Sch. French & English	23 West St., New London, Conn.	*Smith College
Josephine McCarthy	Asst. High Sch. Com'l Subjects	130 Summer St., Somerville, Mass.	*State Normal School Salem, Mass.
Martha L. Woodbury	Asst. High Sch. Latin & Hist.	Dover, Me.	*Colby College
Mrs. Ella Baxter	High Sch. Bldg. Grade VIII.	Hingham, Mass.	*Colby College
Mary Finn	High Sch. Bldg. Grades V. & VI.	Southboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Sara Murphy	High Sch. Bldg. Grade VII.	Hopkinton, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Helen Sullivan	High Sch. Bldg. Grades III. & IV.	New Bedford, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Florence Bassett	High Sch. Bldg. Grades I. & II.	Worcester, Mass.	*State Normal School Worcester, Mass.
Margaret Neary	Fayville Primary Grades I.—III.	Southboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Julia F. Gleason	Prin. So. Union Sch. Grades VII. & VIII.	5 Thoreau St., Concord, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.

*Graduate of

LIST OF TEACHERS SOUTHBORO PUBLIC SCHOOLS, SEPT. 1, 1921.—*Continued*

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Annie M. Dodd	So. Union School Grades IV.—VI.	Ashland, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Mary Reagan	So. Union School Grades I.—III.	Westboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Mrs. Alice E. Brigham	Supervisor of Music	Northboro, Mass.	*New England Con- servatory of Music
Lillian Swanson	Supervisor of Drawing	298 Westminster Hill Rd., Fitchburg, Mass.	*Mass. Normal Art Sch., Boston, Mass.
Martha Tower	Special Teacher Domestic Arts	Hudson, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
J. Augustus Prendi- ville	Special Teacher Manual Training	15 Mower St., Worcester, Mass.	*Museum School Worcester, Mass.

*Graduate of

LIST OF NAMES OF TEACHERS, JANUARY 1 TO JUNE 30, 1920, NOT RETURNING SEP-
TEMBER, 1921

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Allen, Ralph C.	Prin. High School Science & Math.	Abington, Mass.	*Brown University
Ogden, Marian M.	Asst. High School Com. Subjects	Southboro, Mass.	
Reed, Doris M.	Asst. High School Latin & History	Fall River, Mass.	*Wellesley College
Moore, Elsie I.	High School Bldg. Grade VIII.	Winthrop, Me.	Gorham Normal Sch.
Lockett, Elizabeth	High School Bldg. Grades V.—VI.	Southboro, Mass.	*Fitchburg Normal School
Kearney, Aileen E.	High School Bldg. Grades III.—IV.	Worcester, Mass.	*Worcester Normal School
Mildred, Christenson	Special Teacher, Drawing	Worcester, Mass.	*Mass. Normal Art Sch., Boston, Mass.

* Graduate of

GRADUATION EXERCISES
of the Class of 1921

PETERS' HIGH SCHOOL
 Town Hall, Southborough

Wednesday Evening, June 22, 1921
 At Eight O'clock

PROGRAM

MARCH

SONG, Under the Banner of Victory

Franz von Blon

School Chorus

SALUTATORY

Esther Mary Harrington

CLASS HISTORY

Mabel Ward

SONG, Columbus Canata

E. S. Hosmer

CLASS PROPHECY

Helen Alma Honen

PRESENTATION OF CLASS GIFTS

Sarah Elizabeth McDonald

CLASS WILL

Wilder Nichols Smith

ESSAY

Herbert Julian Kelley

PRESENTATION OF SENIOR PRIZE

Rev. John J. Lockett

SONG, Carmena

H. Lane Wilson

School Chorus

VALEDICTORY

Edward Lawrence Spurr

ADDRESS

Zelotes Woods Coombs, A. M.

Professor of English, W. P. I.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

Samuel Clark, Chairman of the School Committee

CLASS SONG

By the Class of 1921

HONOR GRADUATES

Esther Mary Harrington	Wilder Nichols Smith
Helen Alma Honen	Edward Lawrence Spurr

CLASS OF 1921

COLLEGE COURSE

Esther Mary Harrington	Martha Frederica Knudson
Helen Alma Honen	Herbert Jullian Kelley

COMMERCIAL COURSE

Marie Margaret Bagley	Annie Campbell Johnson
Florence Mae Mullen	

GENERAL COURSE

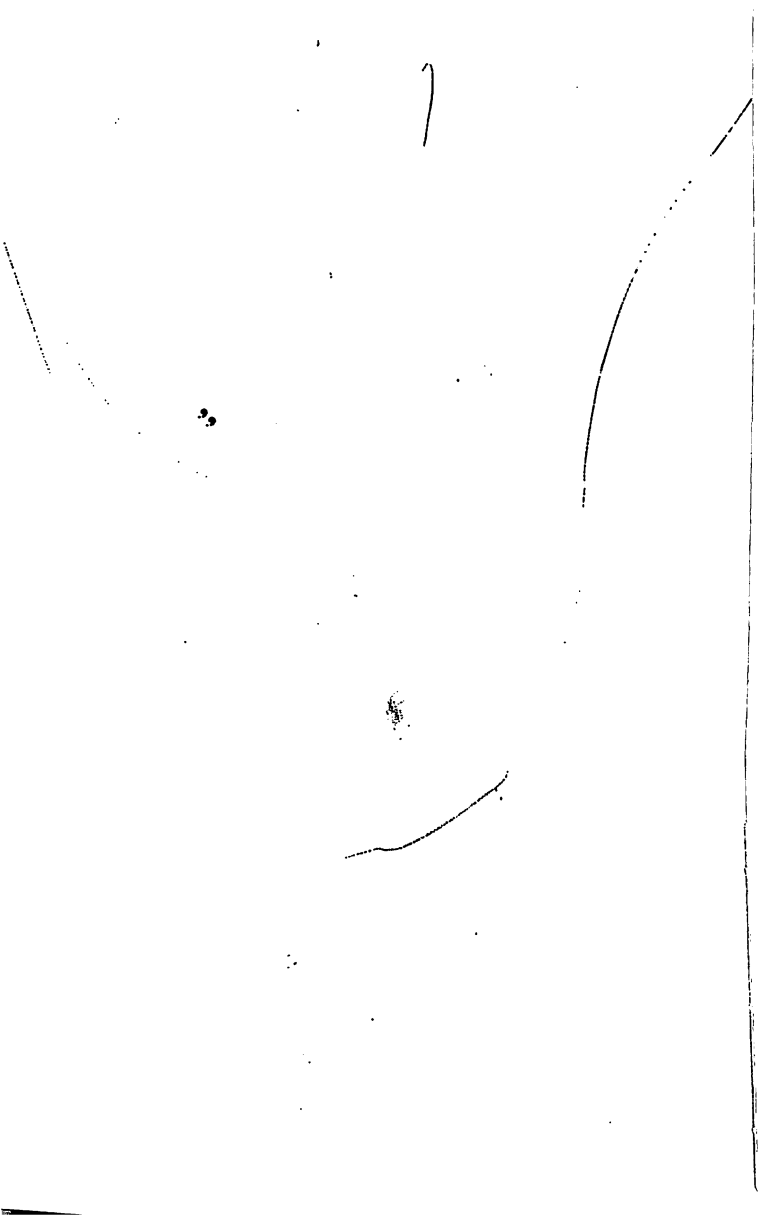
Sarah Elizabeth McDonald	Charles Templeton Dix
Ruth Viola Smiddy	Wilder Nichols Smith
Mabel Ward	Edward Lawrence Spurr

**ACTIVITIES OF CLASS OF 1921, HIGH SCHOOL,
JANUARY, 1922**

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|------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Dix, Templeton | Clark College |
| 2. Kelly, Herbert | Holy Cross College |
| 3. Smith, Wilder | Boston University |
| 4. Spurr, E. Lawrence | Post. Grad., P. H. S. |
| 5. Bagley, Marie | Framingham Normal Sch. |
| 6. Honen, Helen | Framingham Normal Sch. |
| 7. Smiddy, Ruth | Framingham Normal Sch. |
| 8. Johnson, Annie | Framingham Bus. College |
| 9. Knudson, Martha | Union Ave. Hospital,
Framingham |
| 10. McDonald, Sarah | Office Work (Fay Sch.) |
| 11. Mullen, Florence | At home |
| 12. Ward, Mabel | Sargent School |
| 13. Harrington, Esther | Radcliffe College |

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

WORCESTER, SS.

FEBRUARY 10, 1923

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the First Precinct of the said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on Monday, March 5, 1923, and to notify the inhabitants of the Second Precinct of the said Town of Southborough qualified to vote in elections to meet in the South Union School on Monday, March 5, 1923, and to bring in their votes to the Election Officers of the respective precincts for: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Selectman (for 3 years), Assessor (for 3 years), Overseer of the Poor (for 3 years), Member of the School Committee (for 3 years), Cemetery Commissioner (for 3 years), Member of the Board of Health (for 3 years), Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden, Three Members of Town House Committee, Five Constables, Two Trustees of Fay Library (for 3 years), and Two Members of the Advisory Committee (for 3 years). And to vote by ballot, Yes or No, on the question: "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town."

The Polls, in each precinct, will be opened at 6:30 o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

And to notify the inhabitants of said Town of Southborough qualified to vote in elections to assemble in a subsequent meeting in the Town House in said Southborough on Monday Evening, March 12, 1923, at 7:30 o'clock, to consider and act upon the following articles of the Town Warrant:

TOWN WARRANT

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To hear Reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Art. 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town's use and to pass any vote in respect to the same.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the majority of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 5. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money obtained from the licensing of dogs.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars to be expended by Post 44 of the Grand Army of the Republic, for Memorial Day and decorating soldiers' graves.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for the payment of outstanding 1922 bills of the following Departments:

Poor Department	\$456.67
Highway Department	426.91
Police Department	216.55
Fire Department	115.88
Election and Registration Department	97.95
Collector's Department	50.00

Art. 8. To see if the Town will vote to expend a sum of money not to exceed Five Thousand Dollars for repairs to the Marlborough Road and Cordaville Road and raise and appropriate money for same.

Art. 9. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to repair the Highway on Parkerville Road, from the Boston & Worcester Street Railway to the Turnpike Road.

Art. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the purchase of a new tractor, with or without snow plough or other attachments, raise and appropriate money for same, or pass any vote in connection therewith.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the sale of the Fordson Tractor, or pass any vote regarding this Tractor.

Art. 12. To see whether the Town will purchase a steam roller and a motor dump cart for the Highway Department, raise and appropriate money therefor, or pass any vote regarding same.

Art. 13. To see whether the Town will vote to install lights on Oregon Road or Mount Vickory Road, or take any action regarding street lights.

Art. 14. To see whether the Town will purchase a parcel of land near Fayville Hall, as a park adjacent thereto, from the George Wesley Nichols Building Association, and raise and appropriate the necessary funds therefor, or do or act thereon.

Art. 15. To see whether the Town will vote to employ one or more night watchman and raise and appropriate money to pay the salary of same, or do or act thereon.

Art. 16. To see whether the Town will accept the deed from the City of Boston of a portion of a road or way in the Town of Southborough, being an extension of Pine Hill Road, and lay out and accept the report of the Selectmen on the layout of said road, or do or act thereon.

Art. 17. To see whether the Town will vote to purchase additional equipment for the Fire Departments, raise and appropriate money therefor, or pass any vote regarding same.

Art 18. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 25, Section 16, of the Revised Laws, or do or act thereon.

Art. 19. To see whether the Town will vote to put in a system of public water works, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act thereon.

Art. 20. To see whether the Town will vote to abolish the office of Highway Surveyor, and authorize the appointment of a Superintendent of Streets, in accordance with Chapter 41, Section 66, of the General Laws.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the majority of the Selectmen, to borrow money for any of the appropriations named in this Warrant.

Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to name the square at the intersection of Main St., East St., Boston Rd. and Newton St., the Leo E. Bagley Square, and erect suitable sign.

Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to name the square at the intersection of Main St., Common St. and Common the James W. Burke Square, and erect suitable sign.

Art. 24. To see if the town will appropriate \$5000 to erect a Memorial to The World War Veterans, and to appoint a committee to act on same.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to pay to Patrick J. O'Reilley the sum of two hundred dollars, awarded to him as land damage for land taken in 1909, or pass any vote respecting same.

And you are to give notice hereof, by posting up true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, South Union School, Depots, Post Offices and three other Public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meetings.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the respective precinct wardens on or before or at the time and place of said meetings aforesaid and to the Town Clerk, as soon as may be before said subsequent meeting.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS this tenth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

RAYMOND H. OVESON,
FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
JOSEPH B. CHOATE,
Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy.

Attest: Constable
February 1923

FORTY-NINTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Town Officers

OF

Southborough, Massachusetts

For the Year Ending December 31

1922



SOUTHBOROUGH PRINT SHOP
SOUTHBOROUGH, MASSACHUSETTS

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT 1922

To the Chairman and Members of the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I submit, herewith, the annual report of the financial transactions of the Town for the fiscal year, ending December 31, 1922.

The accounts of the Treasurer, Tax Collectors, and Cemetery Commissioners have been checked and are substantially correct.

You will note that we have closed our books with an unusually large cash balance, for which some explanation is in order. This increase over the normal cash balance is due to a very conservative estimate of revenue for the year of 1922, no amount having been included for Bank Tax, there being some doubt as to our receiving same or having the right to retain it if so received. You will note that we received from the State the sum of \$7,083.00 from this source. It has not yet been definitely settled whether or not the Towns will continue to receive this tax in the future or if it is not possible that we may be called upon to return some of the receipts of the past few years.

The Income Tax receipts, which were estimated at a lower figure than for past three years, also com-

pared very favorably with previous receipts and helped in the increased balance above mentioned.

You will note also that 1922 bills as per list printed were not paid, due to lack of appropriation for same.

Inasmuch as the cash balance on hand at the start of each year is deducted from appropriations, together with other estimated revenue, before tax assessments are computed, if our 1923 appropriations do not exceed those of 1922, we may look for some reduction again in tax rate over last year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. BAGLEY,
Town Accountant

RECEIPTS, 1922

TAXES

Taxes of 1922:

Poll	2,622.00	
Personal	13,977.06	
Real Estate	46,201.43	62,800.49

Taxes of 1921:

Poll	80.00	
Personal	526.30	
Real Estate	7,596.97	8,203.27

Taxes of 1920:

Poll	25.00		
Personal	23.25		
Real Estate	2,201.77	2,250.02	73,253.78

FROM STATE

Metro. W. and S. Bd.	2,294.87	
Bank Tax	7,083.44	
Corporation Tax	7,042.50	
Street R. R. Tax	14.22	
Income Tax, 1922	4,019.96	
Income Tax, Sch'l F.	2,360.00	
Income Tax, Prev. yrs.	637.50	
Corp. Tax, 1921	.98	23,453.47

LICENSES

Junk	10.00	
Garages	12.00	
Hawker's	12.00	34.00

FINES

Court Fees	25.00	25.00
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GRANTS AND GIFTS

From State:

Union Supt.	732.48	
Vocational Education	464.03	
High School Tuition	1,139.29	2,335.80

From County:

Dog Licenses	451.26	2,787.06
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SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

Moth Assessments:

For 1922	239.05	
For 1921	51.81	
For 1920	8.75	299.61

Private Spraying:

For 1922	426.42	726.03
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GENERAL GOVERNMENTS

From Town Hall:

Rent	395.85	395.85
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PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Sealer of Weights and M.

Fees	22.06		
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Forestry

Spraying	292.19		
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Forest Fires

From railroads	48.28		
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Forestry

Sale of lead	19.50	382.03	382.03
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 CHARITIES

From State:

For Poor Dept.

Temporary Aid	270.00		
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Mothers' Aid	706.34		976.34
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 SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

From State:

For State Aid	378.00		
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Military Aid	102.00		
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Soldiers' Exempt.	50.76		530.76
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 EDUCATION

From State:

Tuition of children	1,453.45		
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Town Hopkinton

Tuition	185.00		
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From School Committee

Sale material	157.82	
Rent of hall	14.00	
Sale of tickets	12.85	1,823.12

LIBRARIES

From Librarian:

For fines	32.66	32.66
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UNCLASSIFIED

Fayville Hall

For rent	169.00	
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Common and T. H. Gds.

Sale of wood	12.00	181.00
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PRIVILEGES

Public Service:

Franchises		365.00
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CEMETERIES

Cemetery Commissioners:

For care lots & G'ves	527.00	
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For Burials	328.00	
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For Rural Cem'y Res.

Sale lots & Graves	305.00	
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Trust Fund Lots

Charge for care	491.96	1,651.96
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INTEREST

General Balances	307.66		
1922 Tax Account	91.02		
1921 Tax Account	472.69		
1920 Tax Account	271.60		
1920 Tax Costs	1.70	1,144.67	

On Trust Funds:

Cemetery Perpetual

Care Deposits 557.53

Willson Charity Fund 60.00

Fay Library Fund 64.68

Rural Cemet. Res. F'nd 16.09 698.30 1,842.97

Total of Revenue Receipts—Forwarded \$108,461 03

NON REVENUE RECEIPTS, 1922

Temporary Loans:

In Anticipation Rev. 35,000.00

General Loans:

Marlboro Road Repairs 5,000.00 40,000.00

AGENCY

State Tax

State Highway Tax

County Tax

These are included in totals of general
tax collections.

TRUST

Cemetery Perpetual Care:

Deposits received

300.00

REFUNDS

Military Aid

Return of payment 15.00

Forest Fire Payrolls

Overpayment 3.30

Payments refused 10.65

Fire Dept.

Adust'nt Fire Engine 82.37

Election and Registration

Overpayment 5.50

School Dept.

Overpayment 3.15

119.97

 TRANSFERS

To:

Advisory Committee from Reserve 48.19

Accounting Dept. from Reserve 25.80

Collector's Dept. from Reserve .11

Cert. of Notes from Reserve 2.00

Town Clerk's Dept. from Reserve 15.35

Election and Reg. from Reserve 51.19

Fire Dept. from Reserve 116.10

Forest Fires from Reserve 766.80

Highway Dept. from Reserve 188.33

Poor Dept. from Reserve	690.91	
Truant Support from Reserve	145.84	
Trade Schools from Reserve	117.89	
Fayville Hall from Reserve	195.92	
Common and T. H. Gds. from Reserve	36.62	
Birth Returns from Reserve	4.00	
Interest on debt from Reserve	84.75	3,489.80
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Tree Ward. & Moth from S. Trees	2,049.97	
Marlboro Rd. Reps. from Highways	213.90	
Fayville Hall from F. H. Rep.	16.25	
Interest on Debt from Int. on Loans	172.25	2,452.37
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		4,942.17

BALANCES

January, 1922:

General Cash	17,319.77	
Fay Library Fund, cash	7.30	
Willson Charity Fund, cash	172.33	
Rural Res. Fund, cash	628.76	18,128.16
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Total of Non-Revenue Receipts and balances 63,490.30

Total of Revenue Receipts brought forward 108,461.03

Total of all receipts and balances for 1922 171,951.33

PAYMENTS FOR 1922

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Selectmen's Dept.

Salaries and wages

Selectmen	300.00
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Clerk	50.00
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Other expense

Stationery—postage	7.65
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Auto hire	14.50
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Telephone	2.00
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	374.15
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Advisory Committee

Salaries—Wages

Expense

800 reports	37.94
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Clerical hire	2.50
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Postage	7.75
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	48.19
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Accounting Dept.

Salaries

Accountant	200.00
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Other expense

Stationery—forms	50.80
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	250.80
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Treasurer's Dept.

Salaries

Treasurer	200.00
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Other expenses

Surety Bond	40.00	
Check books	53.50	
Other Stationery	3.25	
Postage	22.08	
Auto hire	10.00	
All other	2.04	330.87

Collector's Dept.

Salaries

Collector (part)	250.00
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Other expense

Surety Bond	100.00	
Equipment	27.65	
Tax Bills	19.10	
Postage	46.86	
Moving Safe	3.00	
Stationery	3.50	450.11

Assessor's Dept.

Salaries

Assessors	577.50
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Other expense

Printing	58.40
Abstracts	21.18
Auto Lists	7.00
Stationery	4.25
Keys	.95

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Postage	1.25	670.53
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Other Finance		
Certification-notes	12.00	12.00
Law Dept.		
Salaries		
Town Counsel	266.62	
Other expense		
Claims paid	20.00	286.62
Town Clerk's Dept.		
Salaries		
Town Clerk	250.00	
Other expense		
Printing	34.35	
Recording fees	56.00	
1921 bills paid	28.15	368.50
Election and Registration		
Salaries		
Registrars (not paid 1922)		
Election officers	222.50	
Other expense		
Printing—publish.	222.65	
Meals	36.00	
Equipment	57.00	
Express—cartage	3.88	
1921 bills paid	9.16	551.19

Town Hall

Salaries

Janitor	447.60	
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Other expenses

Fuel	159.08	
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Wood saw. & Labor	43.35	
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Light—power	81.95	
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Janitor's supplies	10.80	
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Insurance	226.40	969.18
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Special repairs		70.87
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Unpaid 1921 bills		34.36
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Total of pay. for Gen. Gov.	\$4,417.37	4,417.37
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PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Police Department

Salaries—wages

Constables	158.00	
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Other expenses

Court fees	10.10	
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Auto hire	9.00	177.10
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Fire Dept.

Salaries—wages

Chief	100.00	
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Janitors	300.00	
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Assistant chiefs	95.00	
Firemen	832.80	
Specials	6.75	1,334.55

Other expenses

Repairs—equip.	100.16	
Fuel	156.99	
Light	26.39	
Paint	11.00	
Insurance	31.80	
Stationery	2.00	
Refreshments	14.10	
Supplies	49.99	392.43

New Equipment

Drying Box	104.00	
500 feet hose	475.00	
Coupling	42.00	
12 Extinguishers	144.00	
38 Rubber Coats	228.00	
34 Hats	20.40	
6 Pr. Rubber B'ts	15.00	
35 Badges	21.87	
12 Gas Masks	3.00	
3 Special Badges	2.63	
All other expense	.66	1,056.56

Fire Hydrant
Installation

500.00

Forest Fires		
Pay-rolls		785.60
1921 Bills		
Unpaid in 1921		
Firemen's Sal.	600.21	
Garage expense	167.69	
Supplies	64.31	832.21
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		\$4,901.35
Sealer of W. & M.		
Salaries—wages		
Sealer	75.00	
Other expenses		
Travel	25.00	
Equipment	21.81	
Rent	75.00	196.81
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Unpaid 1921 Bills		51.46
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		\$248.27
Forestry Dept.		
Salaries—wages		
Tree Warden	25.00	
Labor pay-rolls	4,516.52	
Team—pay-rolls	284.18	
Other expense		
Saws	30.75	
Belts	27.00	

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Tree paint	23.65	
Planting trees	27.50	
Poles	15.00	
Other equipment	20.57	
Damages	2.00	
Insurance—Sprayer	7.50	
All other expense	3.43	4,983.10

Gypsey & B. T. Moths

Salaries—wages

Labor pay-rolls 2,029.01

Team pay-rolls 256.84

Other expenses

Oil and gas 41.46

Repairs 6.60

Other supplies 3.05

All other 3.70 2,340.66

7,323.76

Total of payments for Protection of Property 12,650.48

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Board of Health

Salaries and Wages

Board of Health 75.00

Clerk 10.00

Other Expense		
State Infirmary	284.00	369.00
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Unpaid 1921 Bills		177.00
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		546.00
Inspection		
Animals		
Inspector	200.00	200.00
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Total Health & Sanitation payments	746.00	746.00

HIGHWAYS

Administration

Salaries and Wages

Surveyor @ \$5 per day

To March 1st 90.00

To December 31 605.00 695.00

Other Expense

Use of horse 35.00

Use of auto 55.00 90.00

General Repairs

Labor payrolls 4,359.04

Team payrolls 3,161.76 7,520.80

Supplies

Crushed Stone	16.69	
Gravel—1243 loads		
@ 25c	310.25	
Brooms	11.03	
Shovels—pails	72.66	
Patch. c'p., 22 bbls.	114.63	525.26

Equipment

N. E. Jr. R'd Mach.	300.00	
Other equip.—parts	61.50	
Repairs—equip.	59.35	420.85

Other expenses

Culverts—metal	104.04	
Surveyor	7.00	
Tile pipe	58.20	
Hose	8.75	
Cement	6.60	
Signs	1.25	
Survey of drain	6.00	
Freight charges pd.	18.73	
Other supplies	6.71	217.28

Bridges

Labor	144.35	
Lumber	79.19	
Nails	9.28	
Freight charges	5.55	238.37

Steam Roller

Rent, 21 d'ys @ \$9	189.00		
Fuel for same	77.87	266.87	
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			9,974.43

Snow Removal

Supervision	110.00		
Labor	238.88		
Teams	112.20		
Equipment	6.62		
All other expense	2.00	469.70	
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Street Oil

Application of Oil			
16,079 gals. No. 4			
Rd. Oil	988.86		
5,800 gals. T'via B.	870.00		
Other Oil	60.00	1,918.86	
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Marlboro Road Repairs

Supervision

S'veyor @ \$5 day	285.00		
Use of auto	57.00	342.00	
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Wages

Labor	1,932.38		
Teams	2,204.05	4,136.43	
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Equipment—Supplies

Dynamite	4.56	
Shovels	21.96	
Fuse	1.75	
Oil Can	1.10	
Detour signs	3.00	
Lanterns	2.94	
Globes—oil	1.92	37.23

Steam Roller

Eng. @ \$7 per day	413.00	
Fuel for roller	122.34	
Repairs—parts	34.50	569.84

Oil

Application Rd. Oil	128.40
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Total Marlboro Rd.	5,213.90
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Memorandum for record

The following bills for work on Newton Street were paid by the Deerfoot Farm Dairy:

Sup. @ \$5 per day	30.00
Labor	122.50
Team hire	257.15
Rent—steam roller,	
58 days @ \$10 day	580.00

\$989.65

Street Lighting	
Marlboro Electric Co.	3,484.31
State Highways	
State Tax	
For maintainance	738.20
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Total of all payments for Highways	\$21,799.40

CHARITIES

Poor Department	
Administration	
Overseers (not paid for 1922)	
Other expenses	
Board and care	957.62
Groceries, etc.	20.62
Medical care	115.50
Funeral expense	65.00
Outside Relief	
By other towns	277.17
Mother's Aid	1,405.00
All other expense	
1921 bills paid	200.00
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Total for Charities	3,040.91

SOLDIER'S BENEFITS

State Aid	
Cash paid	295.00
Spanish War Aid	12.00
World War	15.00
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Total for soldiers' Benefits	322.00

EDUCATION

School Department

Administration

Salaries

School Commit.	300.00	
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Superint.	1,007.64	
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Other expenses

Notary fees	3.00	
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Post.—stationery	3.57	
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Travel—Supt.	128.46	
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Oth. exp.—Supt.	11.31	1,453.98
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Teachers

Salaries

High School	6,374.00	
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Elementary	10,746.52	
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Music	350.00	
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Drawing	165.00	
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Domest. Science	685.00	
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Manual Train.	720.00	
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Pupil Teachers	85.66	19,126.18
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Books

High School	455.70	
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Elementary	312.32	768.02
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Supplies

High School	173.62	
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Elementary	342.68	
All other	.98	517.28
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Tuition		
Elementary		46.00
Transportation		
Automobiles	2,550.00	
Electric Cars	1,080.00	
Special Transp.	115.00	3,745.00
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Janitor Services		
High School	1,116.60	
Elementary	1,371.24	
Other janitor exp.	2.00	2,489.84
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Buildings and Grounds		
High School		
Repairs	56.30	
Janitors' supplies	34.88	
Cess Pool	18.00	109.18
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Elementary Schools		
Repairs	188.50	
Janitors' supplies	80.79	
Hauling water	17.00	286.29
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Fuel and Light		
Fuel	1,463.68	

Light—power	107.79	1,571.47
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Grounds		
Trimming of trees		169.09
Furniture		
High School		
Equipment	15.12	
Elementary Schools		
Flag	3.26	18.38
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Health		
School Nurse	400.00	
Medical Supplies	28.86	
Sterilizer	24.90	
Printing cards	43.69	
Inspection		
Medical	100.00	
Dental	50.00	647.45
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Other Expenses		
School Census	50.00	
Other Census work	16.64	66.64
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Graduations		
Diplomas	66.70	
Programs	10.00	
Other diploma exp.	8.40	
All other expense	1.60	86.70
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Truant Officer			
Services		14.50	
All Other Expense			
Mailing Study lists	13.00		
Boiler inspection	6.00		
Fire Ext. exp.	4.50		
Keys	1.70		
Printing	10.38		
Express charges	9.73		
Sundries	8.04	53.35	
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			31,169.35
Truant Support			
Institutions	145.74		
Vocational Education			
Trade Sch. Tuition	617.89		
Insurance			
Premiums paid	543.83	1,307.46	
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Total of all expenditure for Education			32,476.81

LIBRARY

Salaries—Wages			
Librarian	387.00		
Assistants	113.55		
Janitor	339.00	839.55	
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Books and Periodicals			
Books	142.78		

Periodicals	78.15	220.93
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Transportation		
Books		52.00
Bindings		
Books		
Periodicals		62.10
Fuel and Light		
Fuel	135.02	
Light	48.81	183.83
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Buildings—Grounds		
Repairs	256.07	
Removal ashes	10.45	266.52
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All Other Expenses		
Supplies—Stat.		11.30
1921 Bills—paid		90.86
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Total of Library payments		1,727.09

RECREATION

Parks and Playgrounds	
Common and T. H. Gds.	
Labor	231.00
Teams	13.60
Loam	10.00
Repairs—equip.	4.00
Supplies	3.47

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Repairs—flag	1.00	
Insurance—sheds	23.55	286.62
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Play Grounds		
Rent paid		40.00
Swimming Pool		
No payments		
Total of payments for Recreation		326.62
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UNCLASSIFIED

Fayville Hall		
Janitor's services	152.50	
Fuel	215.40	
Light	35.59	
Special Repairs	183.75	
Other repairs	15.75	
Janitor's supplies	9.75	
Other expense		
Insurance	133.18	
1921 Bills—paid	39.29	785.21
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Memorial Day		
Paid Q. M.—G.A.R.		100.00
Documents		
Town Reports	303.50	
Liability Insurance		
Premium paid		340.58
G. A. R. Relief		

Paid Q. M., G. A. R.	50.00	
Birth Returns		
Return fees	4.00	
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Total payments Unclassified Accounts		1,583.29

CEMETERIES

Administration

Salaries and Wages

Superintendent	200.00	
Postage—stat'nery	16.60	
Commissioners	50.00	266.60
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Other Expenses

Labor	1,495.26	
Loam	27.50	
Equipment	22.30	
Repairs—equip.	14.75	
Seeds—fertilizer	70.00	
Architect	12.00	
Printing	8.10	
Supplies	3.80	1,653.71
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Trust Fund Lots

Charges apportioned	491.96	
1921 Accounts		
Bills paid	50.00	

Cemetery Trees
Labor

400.00

Total of all Cemetery payments 2,862.27

INTEREST

Interest paid on

Revenue Loans 656.49

School Bonds 80.00

Library Notes 40.00

Fire Engine Loan 240.00

Stone Crusher 132.00

Total of all Interest payments 1,148.49

Total of all Revenue payments forwarded 83,100.73

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Non-revenue accounts

Loans

Antic. of rev. 35,000.00

Stone Crusher 1,000.00

So. Union Sch. 2,000.00

Library 1,000.00

Fire Engine 1,000.00

\$40,000.00

AGENCY & TRUST

Agency

State Tax .	6,600.00
State \$3 poll tax	1,638.00
County Tax	4,000.00
G. B. T. Moth	300.94

\$12,538.94

TRUST

Cemetery Perpetual Care

Deposits received	\$300.00
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Willson Fund Income

Cash paid	50.00	\$350.00
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TRANSFERS

From reserve to:

Advisory Commit.	48.19
Accounting Dept.	25.80
Collector's Dept.	..11
Cert. of Notes	2.00
Town Clerk	15.35
Election & Reg.	51.19
Fire Dept.	116.10
Forest Fires	766.80
Highways	188.33
Poor Dept.	690.91
Truant Support	145.84
Trade Schools	117.89

Fayville Hall	195.92	
Common & T. H. Gds.	36.62	
Birth Returns	4.00	
Interest on Debt .	84.75	2,489.80

From Sp. Tr. to T. W.	2,049.97		
" H. to Mar. Rd. R.	213.90		
" Fay. H.—R. to ca'e	16.25		
" I. on L. to I. o. D.	172.25	2,452.37	\$4,942.17

BALANCES

December 31, 1922 (at close of books)

General cash	29,815.33	
Willson Charity Fd.	182.33	
Fay Library Fund	71.98	
Rural Cem. Res. Act.	949.85	\$31,019.49

Total of all non-rev. pay. and bals. 1922	\$88,850.60
Total of all rev. pay. 1922 (forwarded)	83,100.73
Total of all pay. and bals. for 1922	\$171,951.33

TRIAL BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 1923

General cash	29,815.33
Willson Fund, cash	182.33
Fay Fund, cash	71.98

ASSET ACCOUNTS			LIABILITIES		
Cash in banks:			Overlay Reserve Fund		
General Balance	\$29,815.33		Overlay, 1919	\$110.60	\$764.80
Fay Fund cash	71.98		Overlay, 1920	339.46	
Willson Fund cash	182.33		Overlay, 1921	92.30	
Rural Cem. Res. Cash	949.85	\$31,019.49	Overlay, 1922	1,133.84	1,676.20
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Accounts Receivable:			1921 Moth—Excess paid		
1922 Taxes	7,747.25		Cemetery Trust Funds:		.22
1922 Moth	36.30		Interest		385.80
1922 Spraying	61.33	7,844.88	Bills payable:		
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1920 Taxes	28.19		Balances:		
1921 Taxes	739.26		Fay Fund	71.98	
1921 Moth	5.01	772.46	Willson Fund	182.33	
<hr/>			Rural Cem. Res.	949.85	1,204.16
Amounts due from State for:			<hr/>		
State Aid, 1922	295.00		P. J. O'Rielly		200.00
Military Aid	12.00		Surplus of Revenue:		
Inspection animals,			Excess & Deficiency		38,808.19
1921	100.00		<hr/>		
1922	100.00	507.00	\$40,303.33		
Cemetery Dept.:			<hr/>		
Accounts due		159.50			
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\$40,303.33					

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Cash in banks:			
General Balance	\$29,815.33		
Fay Fund cash	71.98		
Willson Fund cash	182.33		
Rural Cem. Res. Cash	949.85	\$31,019.49	
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Military Aid	12.00		
Inspection animals,			
1921	100.00		
1922	100.00	507.00	
Cemetery Dept.:			
Accounts due		159.50	
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		\$40,303.33	

Fayville Hall	195.92	
Common & T. H. Gds.	36.62	
Birth Returns	4.00	
Interest on Debt .	84.75	2,489.80

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Total of all pay. and bals. for 1922	\$171,951.33
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TRIAL BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 1923

General cash	29,815.33
Willson Fund, cash	182.33
Fay Fund, cash	71.98

Rural Res. Fund, cash	949.85	
Com. of Mass. In. An.	200.00	
Com. of Mass. St. Aid	307.00	
Cemetery accounts due	159.50	
1920 Taxes	28.19	
1921 Taxes	739.26	
1920 Moth		.22
1921 Moth	5.01	
1922 Taxes	7,747.25	
1922 Moth	36.30	
1922 Spraying	61.33	
Overlay Reserve		764.80
" 1919		110.60
" 1920		339.46
" 1921		92.30
" 1922		1,133.84
Willson Fund Income		182.33
Fay Fund Income		71.98
P. J. O'Reilly Award		200.00
Interest on Cem. Trust Funds		385.80
Rural Cem. Res. Income		949.85
Excess & Deficiency		36,072.15
Net Bonded Debt.	\$9,900.00	
Tractor—Stone Crusher		1,900.00
Fire Engine		3,000.00
Marlboro Road		5,000.00
Tr. Fs, Cash & Sec.	\$13,925.00	
Fay Library Fund		1,500.00

Willson Charity Fund	1,000.00
Cemetery Trust Funds	11,425.00
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\$64,128.33	\$64,128.33

BILLS PAYABLE 1922 ACCOUNTS

Poor Dept.	\$456.67
Highway Dept.	426.91
Police Dept.	116.55
Fire Dept.	115.88
Election & Reg.	97.95
Collectors	50.00

ASSET ACCOUNTS				LIABILITIES			
Cash in banks:				Overlay Reserve Fund			
General Balance	\$29,815.33			Overlay, 1919	\$110.60		\$764.80
Fay Fund cash	71.98			Overlay, 1920	339.46		
Willson Fund cash	182.33			Overlay, 1921	92.30		
Rural Cem. Res. Cash	949.85	\$31,019.49		Overlay, 1922	1,133.84	1,676.20	
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1922 Moth	36.30			Interest		385.80	
1922 Spraying	61.33	7,844.88		Bills payable:			
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1920 Taxes	28.19			Balances:			
1921 Taxes	739.26			Fay Fund	71.98		
1921 Moth	5.01	772.46		Willson Fund	182.33		
<hr/>				Rural Cem. Res.	949.85	1,204.16	
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Amounts due from State for:				P. J. O'Rielly			
State Aid, 1922	295.00			Surplus of Revenue:			200.00
Military Aid	12.00			Excess & Deficiency		38,808.19	
Inspection animals,				<hr/>			
1921	100.00						\$40,303.33
1922	100.00	507.00		<hr/>			
Cemetery Dept.:							
Accounts due		159.50		<hr/>			
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\$40,303.33							

DEBT STATEMENT. JANUARY 1, 1923

	Outstanding Jan 1, 1922	Borrowed 1922	Paid 1922	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1923	Due 1923	Interest Due 1923
Revenue Loans		\$35,000	\$35,000			
School Bonds	\$2,000		2,000			
Library Notes	1,000		1,000			
Fire Engine Loan	4,000		1,000	\$3,000	\$1,000	Jan. 1-July 1
Crusher-tractor	2,900		1,000	1,900	1,000	Jan. 1-July 1
Marlboro Road		5,000		5,000	2,500	Apr. 1-Oct. 1
	\$9,900	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$9,900	\$4,500	

INDEBTEDNESS

Net Bonded Debt	\$9,900.00	Town Debt	
	<hr/>	Fire Engine Loan	\$3,000.00
	\$9,900.00	Crusher-tractor	1,900.00
		Marlboro Road Loan	5,000.00
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			\$9,900.00

TRUST FUNDS

Trust Funds:		Cemetery Trust Funds	\$11,425.00
Cash and Securities	\$13,925.00	Fay Library Fund	1,500.00
	<hr/>	Willson Charity Fund	1,000.00
	\$13,925.00		<hr/>
			\$13,925.00

STATEMENT OF INSURANCE ON TOWN
PROPERTY

Property	Amt. of Policies
Town Hall	\$19,200.00
Fire Dept. and Equip.	1,500.00
Sealer of W. and M.	800.00
High School and Contents	32,250.00
South Union School and Contents	19,625.00
Fayville School and Contents	2,500.00
Fayville Hall	3,600.00
Horse Sheds	1,500.00
Bath House	500.00
Spraying Machine	150.00

See detail following

DETAIL OF INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

NAME OF COMPANY	POLICY NO.	PROPERTY INSURED	AMOUNT	PREMIUM	EXPIRES
Firemen's Fund	B1,196,232	Fayville Hall	5,400	161.60	Apr. 23, '23
No. America	957,735	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May 22, '23
Home Ins.	3,930	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May 22, '23
Royal	548,628	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May 22, '23
No. British	315,694	Town Hall	2,600	58.90	Nov. 14, '23
Boston		Sprayer	150	7.50	
Hartford	2,766	Town Hall	2,600	58.90	Nov. 14, '23
Boston	2,290,000	High School	2,500	58.75	Jan. 20, '24
Penn.	1,033,603	High School	7,500	176.25	Jan. 30, '24
State of Penn.	5,028	High School	5,000	117.50	Feb. 1, '24
Girard	1,434,343	High School	5,000	117.50	Feb. 1, '24
Firemen's Fund	B1,307,603	High School—bid	3,250	55.31	Feb. 1, '24
Girard	1,434,342	High School	2,250	52.88	Feb. 1, '24
No. America	960,880	Town Hall	2,000	43.00	Feb. 16, '24
Firemen's Fund	B1,307,604	Town Hall	2,000	50.60	Mar. 1, '24
Continental	2,307	Sealer W. & M.	800	38.96	May 1, '24
Firemen's Fund	1,401,587	Bath House	500	10.00	July 1, '24
New Hampshire	156,154	Fayville Hall	1,000	27.50	Jan. 1, '25

DETAIL OF INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY---Continued

Firemen's Fund	B1,408,040	So. Union School	10,000	167.50	Jan.	2, '25
Hartford	21,065	Town Hall	3,000	64.50	Feb.	17, '25
Aetna	2,695	Town Hall	2,000	43.00	Mar.	1, '25
Boston	2,290,017	Town Hall	3,000	75.90	Mar.	1, '25
Springfield	3,145	Town Hall	2,000	43.00	Mar.	10, '25
Travellers'	MB2,989,588	Liability Insurance		340.58	Apr.	8, '23
Sun	A292,924	High School	5,000	117.50	Apr.	10, '25
Aetna	2,704	Horse Sheds	1,500	23.55	Apr.	21, '25
No. British	28,505	Fire Engine House	1,500	31.80	May	11, '25
Boston	2,290,019	High School	1,750	49.88	May	25, '25
Boston	2,290,020	Fayville School	2,500	58.75	May	28, '25
Girard	715,001	Fayville Hall	2,200	105.68	Apr.	29, '27
State of Penn.	5,045	So. Union School	2,750	75.10	May	23, '27
Girard	715,003	So. Union School	2,750	75.10	May	23, '27

SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen (3)	\$300.00
Selectmen's Clerk	50.00
Accountant	200.00
Treasurer	200.00
Collector	300.00
Assessors (\$3.50 per day)	
Town Clerk	250.00
Registrar of Voters	80.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures (including \$25.00 for expense)	100.00
Tree Warden	25.00
Board of Health (3)	75.00
Highway Surveyor (\$5.00 per day) (For not more than 200 working days)	
Poor Department (3)	200.00
School Committee (3)	300.00
Cemetery Commissioners (3)	50.00
Inspector of Animals	200.00
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	\$2,965.00

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The Selectmen arranged with the Corporation Counsel, of the City of Boston, to have that portion of Pine Hill Road lying within the Town of Southboro, transferred to the Town by the City of Boston, the present owner. The deed and copy of the plan are in our possession, ready for recording, upon approval by vote of the Town, and we recommend the acceptance by the Town of this deed, and its recording forthwith. The Selectmen have laid out said portion of road as a public way and recommend the acceptance of said road as a public highway.

The Marlboro Electric Light Co., which supplies and operates the street lights in the Town, reported, soon after the last annual meeting of the Town, that the wires, lights and poles destroyed or put out of commission by the great ice storm of November, 1921, had all been restored. The Selectmen made a general inspection and found that a number of lights were missing in the Town of Cordaville, which, after some protest, were restored. In October and November, 1922, the Selectmen again made a careful inspection and counted all lights, by day and by night, and found that fourteen lights destroyed by the storm were still unrestored, and accordingly, a deduction was made on the Electric Light Co's. bill. This deduction is in addition,

of course, to the allowance, by the company, for the period of approximately three months, during the time when all of the street lights were out of commission. There are three more lights which were counted missing and still unaccounted for by the company.

The Selectmen have done everything in their power to apprehend the persons guilty of breaking and entering various buildings for petty robbery and theft, and in fact, have perhaps exceeded their power, and funds at their disposal, for the protection of property and the prevention of crime. In order to insure protection, it will be necessary, in the opinion of the Selectmen, to take drastic action and appropriate considerable funds for policemen, or watchmen, unless the owners themselves will keep an employee upon their respective premises at night.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND H. OVESON,
FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
JOSEPH B. CHOATE,
Selectmen.

TOWN OFFICERS, 1922

TOWN CLERK

Charles L. Fairbanks

TREASURER

Thomas E. Waldron

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Seth H. Howes

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Charles E. Bagley

SELECTMEN..

Raymond H. Oveson	Term expires March, 1923
Francis D. Newton	Term expires March, 1924
Joseph B. Choate	Term expires March, 1925

ASSESSORS

Edward F. Collins	Term expires March, 1923
George F. Field	Term expires March, 1924
Francis McNeil	Term expires March, 1925

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Paul S. Lincoln	Term expires March, 1923
Daniel F. Harrington	Term expires March, 1924
Albert Beaton	Term expires March, 1925

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Ilma C. Johnson	Term expires March, 1923
Frederick C. Staples	Term expires March, 1924
Samuel Clark	Term expires March, 1925

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Adelbert E. Collins	Term expires March, 1923
Patrick M. Salmon	Term expires March, 1924
Francis D. Newton	Term expires March, 1925

BOARD OF HEALTH

Carl R. Lindstrom	Term expires March, 1923
John L. Bacon	Term expires March, 1924
Thomas P. Lindsay	Term expires March, 1925

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

William A. Gould

TREE WARDEN

Harry Burnett

TOWN HOUSE COMMITTEE

William Duncan	Albert E. Hutt
Joseph Ould	

CONSTABLES

William Duncan	C. C. Hildreth
Daniel F. Kelley	Francis D. Newton
Thomas P. Thompson	

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY

Charles F. Choate	Term expires March, 1923
Fred C. Staples	Term expires March, 1923
Robert F. Cheney	Term expires March, 1924
Charles L. Fairbanks	Term expires March, 1924
James P. Curran	Term expires March, 1925
Paul S. Lincoln	Term expires March, 1925

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

George H. Burnett	Term expires March, 1923
Charles F. Choate, III.	Term expires March, 1923
John H. McCloskey	Term expires March, 1924
Augustus E. Wright	Term expires March, 1924
Edgar M. Smith	Term expires March, 1925
Harry B. Spurr	Term expires March, 1925

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK

D. C. Nichols	Paul S. Lincoln
N. F. Wadsworth	Wm. T. Aiken

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER

D. C. Nichols	Paul S. Lincoln
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PUBLIC WEIGHERS

D. C. Nichols	John Sealey
Mary E. Fitzgerald	

WEIGHERS OF COAL

D. C. Nichols	E. C. Nichols
John Sealey	

FIELD DRIVERS

Harry Burnett, 2nd.

Robert B. Choate

Godfrey Brinley

R. D. Mahoney

POUND KEEPER

Anna E. McClosky

FENCE VIEWERS

John C. Bradley

Charles F. Leland

Thomas P. Lindsay

Raymond H. Oveson

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Charles L. Fairbanks

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Charles L. Fairbanks

Herbert W. Schnare

Mary E. Maley

Thomas F. O'Donnell

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Eugene Closson

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

William H. Onthank

LIST OF JURORS, 1922

As prepared by the Selectmen of Southborough, in accordance with Chapter
234 of the General Laws.

Bradley, John D. C.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Sears Road.
Brewer, Walter B.	Farmer	Framingham	Boston Road
Burnett, George H.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Deerfoot Road
Choate, Joseph B.	Broker	Southboro	Main Street
Draper, Allen H.	Carpenter	Fayville	Winter Street
Eaton, Harris D.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Road
Gordon, Clarence M.	Lawyer	Southville	Southville Road
Green, Walter	Farmer	Southboro	Woodland Road
Hutt, Albert E.	Farmer	Southboro	Middle Road
Jones, Herbert	Grain Dealer	Southville	Parkerville Road
Kidder, Dana J.	Insurance	Fayville	Oak Hill Road
Ladd, Harry L.	Overseer	Cordaville	Cottage Street
Lindsey, Thomas P.	Farmer	Southboro	Main Street
Maley, Michael R.	Steward	Southboro	Boston Road
Ould, Joseph T.	Gardener	Southboro	Main Street
Pinkham, Joseph W.	Farmer	Southboro	Richards Road
Smith, Erwin E.	Electrician	Fayville	Turnpike Road
Spurr, Harry B.	Farmer	Marlboro	Northboro Road
Staples, Frederick C.	Teacher	Southboro	Cordaville Road
Thompson, Thomas P.	Laborer	Southboro	East Main Street
Uhlman, Douglas	Farmer	Fayville	Central Street
Wrye, Wallace M.	Painter	Fayville	Turnpike Road

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 6, 1922

Article 1. Charles F. Choate, Jr., was elected as Moderator.

Article 2. See list of Town Officers.

Article 3. Votes for License: Yes, 199. No, 276.

Article 4. Voted to accept the Reports of the Town Officers as printed.

Voted that the plan for dividing the Town into two voting precincts be accepted and adopted. The report regarding same is as follows:

Report of the Selectmen as to dividing the Town into Voting Precincts.

By virtue of authority conferred upon the Selectmen, by vote of the Town, at its Annual Meeting, held March 7, 1921, the Selectmen have divided the Town into two voting precincts separated by a line described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the middle line of the Boston & Worcester Street Railway crosses the western boundary of the Town, thence easterly along the middle line of said Street Railway to its intersection with the middle line of Break Neck Hill Road, thence southeasterly along the middle line of said Road to the middle line of Woodland Road, thence northerly along the middle line of Woodland Road, to a point where the last mentioned line would be intersected by the exten-

sion of the middle line of Oregon Road, thence easterly along the middle line of said Oregon Road to a point where it intersects the eastern boundary of the Town.

The Precinct north of the line thus drawn is designated as Precinct 1, with a voting place and Polls at the Town Hall.

The Precinct south of the line thus drawn is designated as Precinct 2, with its voting place and polls at the South Union School Building.

The number of registered voters in Precinct 1, is 352 men and 271 women. The number of registered voters in Precinct 2, is 109 men and 102 women.

Respectfully submitted,

(signed) RAYMOND H. OVESON,
FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
JOSEPH B. CHOATE,
Selectmen of Southborough

Under the Town Accountant's Report it was voted that the Town pay to P. J. O'Reilley two hundred dollars for land taken in 1909 if they are advised by Counsel that they may legally do so.

Article 5. Voted that a Committee, to consist of the Moderator and two persons to be selected by him, be appointed for the purpose of conferring immediately with the State Highway Commission and the County Commissioners to the end that a highway be built over the Marlborough Road and such other roads as the Committee may recommend, and to consider the advisability of having the work done by private contract; said Committee being authorized to employ a compe-

tent engineer and to make report of their recommendation to the town within thirty days.

Under Article 5, the following action was taken at an adjourned Town Meeting held April 5, 1922.

The report of the Special Highway Committee was read by Charles F. Choate, Jr., and it was voted to accept their report.

Voted to adopt the Report of the Special Highway Committee so far as it applied to matters referred to in Article 5 of the Town Meeting Warrant.

Voted that there be appropriated the sum of \$15,000 for the purpose of improving Marlborough Road, to be used in conjunction with the amounts to be contributed by the County and State; and to meet said appropriation, the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow said sum and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of the issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier date as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine.

(163 voted in favor of this motion and none against.)

Voted that the Committee be made a permanent Committee for the purposes recommended in their Report.

Voted that the Special Highway Committee be authorized to carry out the recommendations of their Report.

Article 6. Voted that the Town accept the provisions of sections 22 and 23 of Chapter 39 of the General Laws, providing for the election of Town Officers and transacting of Town business.

Voted that all matters to be acted upon by the Town, except the election of Town Officers and such other matters as may appear on the official ballot, be considered and acted upon at a meeting to be held on the second Monday in each March at seven thirty o'clock in the evening.

Article 7. (See list of appropriations in Town Accountant's Report.)

Article 8. Voted that the dog money be divided equally between the Schools and Library, and that the School Committee be authorized to use two hundred dollars of the regular appropriation for the purpose of cleaning up brush and trees in the school yards in anticipation of the dog money and to be paid therefrom.

Article 9. Voted to appropriate \$100 for Memorial Day expenses.

Article 10. Voted to appropriate \$50 for Grand Army relief.

Article 11. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 12. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 13. Voted to adopt the recommendation of the Special Highway Committee in regard to the Stone Crusher.

Article 14. Voted that a Committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to consider the advisabil-

ity and estimate the expense of motorizing the Fire Apparatus in Fayville and Southville and report at some future meeting. (Committee appointed: Dr. C. M. Proctor, Dana J. Kidder and Eugene Closson.)

Article 15. Voted to appropriate from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer a sum not exceeding ten hundred and ninety for the payment of outstanding 1921 bills as listed in the report of the Town Accountant.

Article 16. Voted to authorize the Town Accountant to charge the ledger overdrafts of \$1,416.71 on account of Highways. \$421.89 on account of Tree Warden Departments, on account of brush removal expenditure, against the Overlay Reserve Fund of \$2,603.40.

Article 17. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 18. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 19. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 20. Chose Edgar M. Smith as Director, in accordance with Chapter 273 of the Acts of 1918, Section 1.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, APRIL 22, 1922

Article 1. Chose Raymond H. Oveson as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of

the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1922, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year.

Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

The total that may be borrowed under this vote not to exceed \$50,000.

(Twelve voted in favor and none against.)

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JULY 31, 1922

Article 1. Chose Seth H. Howes as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted to improve the Marlborough Road from the Marlborough City line to Framingham Road, Framingham Road to Newton Street, and Newton Street, according to the method used by the Highway Surveyor in the work done on the Willow Bridge Road, and that \$5,000 be appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the work, said work to be done without undue delay.

Voted that the vote passed at the last annual Meeting whereby the Town appropriated \$15,000 to be used in conjunction with money from the County and State for repairs on Marlborough Road, be rescinded.

Article 3. Voted that the Treasurer, with the assent and approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow not exceeding \$5,000 for the repair of Marlborough Road from the Marlborough City line to

Framingham Road, Framingham Road to Newton Street, and Newton Street.

(Fifty seven voted in favor and none against.)

Article 4. Voted that \$500 be appropriated from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer, for the installation of a hydrant on Main Street near the watering trough on the Common, and for laying a pipe there-to from the cistern under the Town Hall.

BIRTHS

- Jan. 29. Norcross, Gardner Clyde, Jr.
Son of Gardner C. and Mildred Mabelle
(Moulton) Norcross.
- Jan. 6. Salmon, Claire.
Daughter of Francis J. and Rose (Austel)
Salmon.
- Jan. 7. Berri, John.
Son of Batista and Marie (Delivanti) Berri.
- Jan. 12. Prosperi (Still-born.)
Son of Euric and Elizabeth (Magi) Prosperi.
- Jan. 16. Morrissine, Imperia.
Daughter of Antonio and Bertha (Giombetti) Morrissine.
- Jan. 16. Phillippo, John.
Son of John and Seractini (Richi) Phillippo.
- Feb. 3. Pinkham, Newell Woodbury.
Son of William and Florence (Nickerson)
Pinkham.
- Feb. 17. Morse, Audrey Evelyn.
Daughter of Ernest C. and Mary Beatrice
(Campbell) Morse.
- Feb. 20. Goggin, Edward.
Son of Edward J. and Anna M. (Campbell)
Goggin.

- Mar. 20. Bartaloni, Leo Frederick Angelo.
Son of Tony and Mary (Chani) Bartaloni.
- Mar. 24. Fry, Henry.
Son of Henry and Elsbit (Coutts) Fry.
- Mar. 27. Bartnassi, Irene.
Daughter of Massina and Albena (Berni)
Bartnassi.
- Mar. 28. Bertonazzi, Angeline.
Daughter of Louis and Louise (Castinetti)
Bertonazzi.
- Apr. 12. Stockwell, Frank Perley.
Son of James G. and Minnie (Gay) Stock-
well.
- Apr. 16. Smith, Harold Frederick.
Son of Fred and Bertha S. (Robertson)
Smith.
- Apr. 16. Fernald, Grace Josephine.
Daughter of Walter and Elsie (Hunt)
Fernald.
- May 2. Wiles, Robina Geraldine.
Daughter of Charles G. and Lillian (John-
son) Wiles.
- May 8. Dunn, Hazel Elizabeth.
Daughter of Vincent B. and Gladys S.
(Morse) Dunn.
- May 15. Haywood, Ann.
Daughter of Donald and Mildred (Fuller)
Haywood.

- May 27. Honen, (Still-born.)
Son of Edward W. and Alma (La Bossiere)
Honen.
- June 14. Jacobs, Whitney Wayland.
Son of Ernest M. and Clara H. (Miller)
Jacobs.
- June 19. Callahan, Marguerite Ann.
Daughter of Henry J. and Mary E. (Pur-
cell) Callahan.
- June 19. Callahan, Mary Elizabeth.
Daughter of Henry J. and Mary E. (Pur-
cell) Callahan.
- June 20. Paul, Eva Marie.
Daughter of Felix and Corinne (Liberty)
Paul.
- June 23. Davis, Walter Moody.
Son of William North and Eva B. (Landry)
Davis.
- July 9. Rice, Leona De Mone.
Daughter of Henry C. and Leona F. (De
Mone) Rice.
- July 12. Kidder, Mary Parkhurst.
Daughter of Dana J. and Grace M. (Slay-
ton) Kidder.
- July 12. Bunker, Leo Bradley, Jr.
Son of Leo Bradley and Ruth A. (Banks)
Bunker.
- Aug. 5. Hebden, Florence Luella.
Daughter of Robert and Lois (Wheeler)
Hebden.

- Aug. 6. McHale, Phyllis Agnes.
Daughter of Richard and Catherine M.
(Dolan) McHale.
- Aug. 10. Mahoney, Robert George.
Son of Robert D. and Angelina M. (Guer-
tin) Mahoney.
- Aug. 27. Taylor, Clarence Edward.
Son of Clarence A. and Beatrice V. (Frail)
Taylor.
- Sept. 21. McKie, William Eldred.
Son of William Samuel and Ruth Marion
(Ladd) McKie.
- Oct. 26. Gray, Lawrence Everett.
Son of Chester C. and Mary G. (Flanders)
Gray.
- Nov. 1. Boutilier, Earl Harris.
Son of George F. and Edith (Early) Bou-
tilier.
- Nov. 18. Bullens, Charles Arthur.
Son of Charles H. and Eva (Lawrence)
Bullens.
- Dec. 17. Fields, William Edmund.
Son of Evelyn S. Fields.
- Dec. 27. Johnson.
Son of James B. and Lexie (Campbell)
Johnson.
- Sept. 26. Martinelli, Lena.
Daughter of Tony and Anunziata (Ches-
kini) Martinelli.

- Oct. 5. Kriss, (Still-born.)
Son of George S. and Blanche (Larkum)
Kriss.
- Dec. 11. Sarajian, Levon Stephan.
Son of Charles and Margaret (Morris) Sar-
ajian.
- Dec. 19. Miles, Earlah Wallace.
Daughter of Andrew J. and Ruby M. (Wall-
ace) Miles.

MARRIAGES

February 20

John Joseph Wickham to Myra Pearl Corbett.

February 28

James Elliott Giffen to Catherine Josephine McDonald.

May 8

Louis William Remelli to Kathleen Wallana Simpson.

June 14

William Hindlaugh Farristall to Maybelle Manning.

June 16

Garabed S. Sarajian to Margaret Mary Morris.

June 24

Earle Russell Closson to Marcia Good Davis.

June 23

Clarence S. Hosmer to Edith Maude Lockett.

June 24

Henry P. Kidder to Julia E. Howell.

June 26

John McKinnon to Catherine Teresa Corbett.

August 28

Edward Thomas Roach to Mary Regina Morrissey.

September 24

John Henry Maley to Elizabeth Margaret Byrne.

September 24

Charles Genari to Julia Alberti.

September 24

Anguss Delarda to Desolina Rigoli.

October 2

John Tobin to Catherine F. Burke.

October 17

Edward McMullen to Catherine Mary O'Halloran.

October 25

Joseph G. Fantoni to Eva Elizabeth Mitchell.

October 18

Donald R. Hunt to Ellen S. Thompson.

November 4

Thomas Frederick Doran to Mary Elizabeth McLaughlin.

November 7

George John Gebhart to Mary Alice Margaret Du-
bois.

December 6

James Allen Harris to Fannie Mara Grant.

November 25

Earle A. Gould to Nellie M. Webber.

DEATHS

- Jan. 1—Lydia R. Fay, 54 years, 7 mos., 23 days.
Jan. 3—Lowell Temple Collins, 89 yrs., 5 mos., 1 dy.
Jan. 12—Angelo Prosperi, — — —.
Jan. 29—Mary Francis Brewer, 1 year, 11 days.
Feb. 5—Catherine S. Salmon, 43 yrs., 2 mos., 9 days.
Feb. 8—Ann Elizabeth Finn, 54 yrs., 9 mos., 5 days.
Feb. 10—Cornelia M. Childs, 65 yrs., 10 mos., 10 d.
Feb. 15—Thomas John Collins, 53 yrs., 7 mos., 12 d.
Feb. 20—Olive Claffin, 22 yrs., 4 mos., 29 days.
Feb. 22—Richard Mitchell Lincoln, 83 yrs., 1 m., 26 d.
Feb. 23—Martha R. Smith, 78 yrs., 11 mos., 2 days.
Mar. 8—Charles Grant Currie, 47 yrs., 8 mos., 4 days.
Mar. 16—Cynthia Jane Clough, 92 yrs., 8 mos., 13 d.
Mar. 29—Mary C. Flynn, 59 years,
Apr. 10—Marion Hill Atwood, 48 yrs., 3 mos., 1 day.
Apr. 20—Lucy Ann Holmes, 41 yrs., 11 mos., 21 days.
Apr. 22—William Eugene Barney, 78 yrs., 4 m., 6 d.
Apr. 30—Emma M. Eibly, 39 yrs., 1 mo., 20 days.
May 7—David O'Connell, 91 yrs., — 7 days.
May 2—James S. Cronican, 58 yrs., — —.
May 18—Grace Josephine Fernald, 1 mo. 2 days.
May 27—(Baby) Honen.
June 1—Frank K. King, 71 years, 4 months.
June 13—George Frederick Barney, 84 yrs., 7 mos.,
15 days.

- June 17—Henrik Georg Petersen, 68 yrs., 11 mos.,
2 days.
June 18—Susan Sophia Prentiss, 89 yrs., 1 mo., 11 d.
July 21—Catherine Varley, 69 years, — —.
Aug. 11—Gardner Martin Fassett, 68 yrs., 9 mos., 22
days.
Sept. 5—Minnie Geraway, 58 yrs., 3 mos., 17 days.
Sept. 28—Mary Evelyn Fay, 69 yrs., 7 mos., 26 days.
Oct. 25—James Healey, 64 years, — —.
Nov. 5—Hannah Dickie, 92 yrs., 2 mos., 12 days.
Nov. 8—Flora Fisher Thompson, 73 yrs., — 20 days.
Nov. 17—Alice L. Harr, 65 yrs., 2 mos., 25 days.
Nov. 29—Mary Aletta Wiley, 84 yrs., 7 mos., 23 days.
Dec. 2—Henry Mark Rogers, 81 yrs., 8 mos., 3 days.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT, 1922

Births registered, males	23
Births registered, females	19
Marriages recorded	21
Deaths recorded, males	15
Deaths recorded, females	21
Fees received for recording above	\$65.50
Dogs licensed, males	141
Dogs licensed, females	51
Paid County Treasurer	\$498.60
Fees received for dog licenses	\$38.40
Hunters registered	62
Fishermen registered	26
Minor Trappers registered	10
Paid Commissioner of Fish and Game	\$125.80
Fees received for registering above	\$14.70
Fees received for filing marriage intentions	\$21.00
Fees received for Birth Certificates	\$1.00
Fees received for recording mortgages	\$2.00

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,
Town Clerk.

ASSESSORS' REPORT, 1922

	Valuations	
	April 1, 1921.	April 1, 1922
Real Estate	\$2,175,635.00	\$2,306,565.00
Personal Property	619,200.00	625,818.00
Total Valuation	2,794,835.00	2,932,383.00
Number of Polls assessed		628
Town Grants	\$84,306.00	
State Tax	6,600.00	
\$3 on 628 poll taxes to State.		
Bonus to Soldiers	1,884.00	
State Tax, Gypsy and Brown Tail		
Moth	300.94	
State Highway Tax	738.20	
County Tax	4,000.00	
Overlayings for 1921 Taxes	250.00	
Overlayings on Taxes, 1922	1,495.99	
Total amounts to be raised		\$99,575.13
Deduct estimated receipts as follows:		
From various sources	\$17,250.00	
Moth Tax	275.35	
Private Spraying	487.75	
Worcester Cons. Franchise Tax	365.00	
Corporation Tax	4,000.00	
Income Tax from State	4,023.26	

Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board, in lieu of Tax on land	2,294.87	
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Estimated Receipts		28,696.23
Amount raised on property and polls, including Overlayings		70,878.90
Moth Tax assessed		275.35
Private Spraying assessed		487.75
Rate of Tax per \$1,000—\$23.10		
Taxes added		30.99

TAXES ABATED, 1920 ASSESSMENTS

Ziko, Nicholas S., real estate	12.00	
Cheney, Arthur R., personal \$23.60,		
Poll \$5	28.60	\$40.60
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TAXES ABATED, 1921 ASSESSMENTS

Ziko, Nicholas S., real estate	13.00
Knight, Charles A., personal	3.89
Abbott, Jacob, poll	5.00
Balzzi, Miccini, poll	5.00
Barrton, Henry, poll	5.00
Becker, Thomas	5.00
Breslin, John, poll	5.00
Burns, Thomas J., poll	5.00

Carlini, Viristo, poll	5.00	
Davis, James, poll	5.00	
Delini, Balacci, poll	5.00	
Downs, Somner, poll	5.00	
Fornasini, Angelo, poll	5.00	
Gatta, Louis, poll	5.00	
Johnson, Arthur, poll	5.00	
Kahederian, Setrag, poll	5.00	
Kahederian, Sam, poll	5.00	
King, Oliver, poll	5.00	
Penrolfini, Goristani, poll	5.00	
Wask, Cornelius, poll	5.00	\$106.89

TAXES ABATED, 1922 ASSESSMENTS

Hooper, Emily L., real estate	5.78
McMay, Lydia H., real estate	18.48
Higgins, Nellie, real estate	4.62
Boutilier, Edith E., real estate	4.62
Collins, William J., real estate	2.89
Lawrence, Edwin C., personal	13.86
McNeil, Chas. F., personal	.55
Mullen, John, personal	5.06
Holder, Wendell M., personal	3.47
Gris, Chester C., personal	9.82
Badelli, Joseph, poll	5.00
Hammond, George H., poll	5.00
Kelley, Robert, poll	5.00
Smiddy, Earle R., poll	5.00

Yesga, Antonio, poll	5.00
Ferrari, Felix, poll	5.00
Rabini, John W., poll	5.00
Nairn, James, poll	5.00
Fornasini, Angelo, poll	5.00
Pensolfini, Gazetini, poll	5.00
Day, Alfred R., poll, Spanish W. Vet.	3.00
McGuire, John, poll, Spanish W. Vet.	3.00
Blake, Joseph F., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Blake, Maurice C., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Brock, Patrick, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Burnett, Harry, 2d., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Brown, Albert F., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Bagley, Joseph R., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Blanchette, Ernest F., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Bagley, William J., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Brunnell, Norman, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Bradlee, Fred'k J., Jr., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Boland, John W., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Burke, John H., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Choate, Joseph B., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Choate, Charles F., 3d, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Cole, Jesse F., Jr., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Colman, Maurice E., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Closson, Earle R., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Callahan, Henry J., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Delardo, August, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Daughan, Edward A., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Daughan, James M., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Delardo, Joseph, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Dunn, Vincent B., poll, W. W. V.	3.00

Eaton, Philip, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Fitzgerald, Andrew J., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Fuller, Frederic C., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Giffin, James E., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Gordon, Clarence M., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Geoghegan, James D., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Gebhart, George J., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Gould, Earl A., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Hadley, Paul, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Hosmer, Sylvester I., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Howes, Alfred W., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Harris, James A., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Kidder, Henry P., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Kriss, George L., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Lawrence, Edwin C., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Latulip, Arthur J., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Lindstrom, Edward, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Lindsay, Thomas P., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Lincoln, Howard R., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Limerick, Frank D., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
McCarthy, Michael J., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Mitchell, Henry J., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Mahoney, Robert D., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Moore, Harry W., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
McGuire, Benedict T., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
McDonald, Charles A., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
McKie, William S., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
McMaster, Rich. G. H., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Maley, John H., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Norcross, Gardner C., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
O'Connell, John D., poll, W. W. V.	3.00

O'Connell, Charles E., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
O'Reilly, John J., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Parks, Kendall A., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Ramelli, Louis W., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Snow, Arthur P., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Snyder, Herbert, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Schrader, Borden, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Schnare, Herbert W., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Smith, Fred, poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Sommerman, Henry H., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Stivers, Harold W., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Sellers, Percy J., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Shaw, Ernest K., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Steele, Clifton E., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Salmon, Thomas A., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Salmon, William G., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Slawson, Frederic G., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Sullivan, William F., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Thayer, Wm. G., Jr., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Thayer, James A., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Voight, Henry A., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Varley, Joseph B., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Welch, John C., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
West, Lloyd E., poll, W. W. V.	3.00
Willard, Albert R., poll, W. W. V.	3.00

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD F. COLLINS,
 GEORGE F. FIELD,
 FRANCIS McNEIL,
 Assessors of Southborough .

1921 TAX ACCOUNT

Dr.

Balance uncollected December 31, 1921	\$9,101.24
Tax added	5.00
Interest collected	468.97
	<hr/> \$9,575.21

Cr.

Paid Treasurer	\$8,724.05
Taxes abated	106.89
Balance uncollected December 31, 1922	744.43
	<hr/> \$9,575.37
	C. L. FAIRBANKS,
	Collector

1921 TAXES ABATED

Nicholas Ziko	13.00
Charles A. Knight	3.89
Jacob Abbott	5.00
Miccine Balzzi	5.00
Henry Barrton	5.00
Thomas Becker	5.00
John Breslin	5.00

Thomas J. Burns	5.00	
Carleni Veristo	5.00	
James Davis	5.00	
Delieni Batacci	5.00	
Sumner Downs	5.00	
Angelo Fonassini	5.00	
Louis Gatto	5.00	
Arthur Johnson	5.00	
Setrag Kahederian	5.00	
Sam Kahederian	5.00	
Oliver King	5.00	
Gocestani Pensolfini	5.00	
Cornelius Wask	5.00	\$106.89

**LIST OF 1921 TAXES UNCOLLECTED DECEMBER
31, 1922**

Silas G. Allen	\$8.89
Celia Cowern	138.88
Avis H. Cummings (balance)	27.84
Allan H. Draper	8.89
Alice M. Draper	1.94
Charles Fantoni	145.30
G. Khederiam (balance)	18.99
Richard McHale	138.65
F. Phillippo	9.71
Mary C. Quinn	20.72
John Sealey	163.32

Gino Tomassetti	12.95	
Gini Tomasuty	5.00	
Jacob Tarplin	26.04	
Moise Boisvert	5.83	
W. H. Northridge	6.48	
Peter Aspesi	5.00	\$744.43

1920 TAX ACCOUNT

Dr.		
Balance uncollected December 31, 1921		\$2,322.97
Interest collected		275.32
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		\$2,598.29
Cr.		
Paid Treasurer		\$2,534.09
Taxes abated		40.60
Balance uncollected, December 31, 1922		23.60
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		\$2,598.29

UNCOLLECTED 1920 TAXES

Town of Southborough (Jacob Tarplin prop'ty) \$23.60

1920 TAXES ABATED

A. R. Cheney	\$28.60	
Nicholas Ziko	12.00	\$40.60

C. L. FAIRBANKS,
Collector

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR 1922

Amount committed by Warrant	\$70,878.90	
Moth Tax	275.35	
Private Spraying	487.75	
Taxes added	30.99	
Interest	91.12	\$71,764.11
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Taxes abated	\$362.15	
Paid Town Treasurer	63,557.08	
Balance uncollected	7,844.88	\$71,764.11
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TAXES ABATED

World War Veterans, 79 at \$3 each	\$237.00	
Spanish War Veterans, 2	6.00	
Poll Taxes, 10	50.00	
Emily L. Hooper	5.78	
Lydia H. McMay	18.48	
Nellie Higgins	4.62	
Edith E. Boutilier	4.62	
William J. Collins	2.89	
Edwin C. Lawrence	13.86	
Charles F. McNeil	.55	
John Mullen	5.06	
Wendell M. Holder	3.47	
Chester C. Gray	9.82	\$362.15
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UNCOLLECTED TAXES, 1922

John Anderson	5.00	Samuel F. Draper	23.93
Misag Aselbakian	5.00	Charles Fantoni	153.38
Lewis Banks	140.27	Waldo A. Fay	120.57
Wm. E. Barney Est.	94.84	Julia I. Fitzgerald	76.23
Robert H. Beals	5.46	Helen A. Flanders	12.71
Chester M. Bean	72.55	Henry H. Flanders	5.00
Jessie L. Beaton	24.83	Helen Flanders and	
Louis Bertonazzi	63.32	Mary Gray	80.85
James Borelli	5.00	Timothy Gallivan	45.93
Walter Burnett	5.00	Alexander Gilmore	48.86
Dearborn J. Butler	3.58	John Gould	5.00
William A. Cahill	14.82	Donabed, Giaragos &	
Dominic Ciclone	10.78	Ga. Gulbonkian	186.38
Ralph L. Coburn	127.42	Charles P. Harding	39.65
Thos. J. Collins Est.	2.89	Rowena Harding	44.02
Charles E. Conder	6.93	Hart Harris	41.04
C. E. & R. E. Con-		Nellie F. Harris	87.13
der	111.23	Albert E. and Wal-	
Kenneth Condon	4.62	ter A. Hutt	184.42
Albert Coyle	5.00	Herbert A. Hyde	
Avis Cummings	69.30	Heirs of	70.90
Joseph F. Cummings	5.00	Ernest M. Jacobs	5.00
Emily Curry	18.48	oJames B. Johnson	9.00
Daniel M. Daughan	31.57	Garabed Kahedrian	5.00
Eva B. Davis	157.21	Garabed Kahedrian	
James A. DeMone	117.81	and Misag Asel-	
Jennie L. DeMone	138.60	bakian	145.71
Alice M. Draper	1.73	Grace M. Kidder	101.32
Allan H. Draper	6.16	Ada B. King	50.95

Fred. B. Knudson	5.00	John Phillipppo	1.04
Mary Liberty, Heirs	1.39	Louis Pesini	4.62
Mihram Margerian		Jos. W. Pinkham	116.76
and Garabed Sar-		Wm. K. Pinkham	5.00
ajian	52.22	Mary C. Quinn	20.79
Mary E. Mahony	75.08	John W. and Minnie	
Thomas F. Manning	24.60	G. Richards	100.61
Frank L. Mason	5.00	Frank Ricci	5.00
Hugh McDonald	57.11	Victor Rossi	3.47
Russell McDonald	27.52	George A. Sanders	50.82
Richard McHale	125.05	John Sealey	158.40
Mary A. McMaster		Irving Slawson	5.00
Bal.	98.47	Oliver S. Slawson	5.00
Adrian McMonigal		Arthur E. Smith	13.74
et als.	42.29	Mary E. Smith	112.29
James Minnucci	53.71	*Jas. G. Stockwell	45.30
Lawrence Misener	5.00	John F. Sullivan	54.33
John Murphy	5.00	Louise H. Sundberg	68.54
Peter Nelson	5.00	Sigourney Thayer	5.00
Francis D. Newton	21.37	Allen G. Thoits	5.00
Roland S. Newton	4.62	Greeley S. Thoits	5.00
George B. Nichols	4.62	Martha J. and Allen	
G. Wesley Nichols		G. Thoits	24.26
Bldg. Asso.	4.04	Zino Tomasetti	9.62
Chas. E. O'Connell	2.31	Charles Vincent	5.00
Edith S. Oland	58.25	Nathan F. Wads-	
Jewell I. Parmenter	2.31	worth	160.06
*Chas. I Parmenter	26.57	William Warren	5.00
Joseph T. Ould	2.89	Helen W. Webster	131.80
Luciano Perini	164.08	John C. Welch	11.93
Felix Phillippo	11.93	August. E. Wright	232.73

Helen B. Wright	5.78	McDonald, Gdn.	6.93
Francis Wright,		Chester H. Parsons	69.72
Heirs of	180.43	Jacob Tarplin	23.10
Antonio Zerga	5.00	Arthur F. Brewer	187.94
NON-RESIDENTS		B. & W. St. Ry.	
James F. Bacon	43.89	Co.	1,972.87
Matthew Boland	12.13	George Bartholdi	8.09
George Putnam	5.78	Nicholas S. Ziko	23.10
Sakos and Bedres		Heirs of Wm. Mc-	
Nordigian	3.75	Laughlin	3.47
Roland S. Newton	4.04	Eugene B. Hamilton	46.45
Heirs of Mary Hay-			
den	5.78		<hr/> 7,844.88
Stephen A. Gilmore	3.47	*Property has	changed
Charlotte F. Blake	151.32	hands.	
Moise A. Boisvert	5.20	oCharge for priv'te spray-	
Angus McGillvary	27.72	ing in dispute	
Lucy E. Ball, Jas. W.			

Respectfully submitted,

SETH H. HOWES,
Collector

REPORT OF QUARTERMASTER, POST 44, G. A. R., MEMORIAL DAY, 1922

Appropriation		\$100.00
Expended:		
Southborough Band	\$40.00	
B. P. Lynch, Flowers	24.00	
H. M. Rogers, automobiles	16.00	
Boston Regalia Co., Flags	15.00	
Rev. Owen Kilgore	5.00	\$100.00

FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
Quartermaster Post 44, G. A. R.

RELIEF FUND

Appropriation	\$50.00
Expended for relief	50.00
As reported to Town.	

FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
Quartermaster Post 44, G. A. R.

TREASURER'S REPORT

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account With Town
of Southborough**

DR.

1921			
Dec. 31.	Balance		\$17,319.77
1922			
	Common. of Mass., Income Tax, '21	306.00	
	James M. Daughan, check returned	15.00	
Mar. 3.	Comm. of Mass., Income Tax, 1919	12.75	
	Comm. of Mass., Income Tax, 1920	38.25	
	Comm. of Mass., Income Tax, 1921	102.00	
23.	Comm. of Mass. Vocational Educ'n	291.07	
	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax, 1921	.98	
25.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Flora A. and Lucille Fay	100.00	
27.	do. Miss M. Lizzie Blair	100.00	
Apr. 10.	Comm. of Mass. Mothers with De- pendent Children	134.34	
26.	Harris Forbes & Co., loan, due Nov. 1, 1922	10,000.00	
May 6.	T. W. Humphrey, check returned	3.30	
12.	Commonwealth of Mass., gypsy moth do. Director of Standards	21.00 6.00	

	23.	Home Fire Apparatus Co., refund	82.37
	31.	Peoples' Nat. Bank, loan due	
		Dec. 1	10,000.00
June	5.	Comm. of Mass., Mothers with De- pendent Children	572.00
		do. Temporary Aid	270.00
	17.	St. Mark's School, Supplies for Manuel Training	75.00
		Comm. of Mass., Income Tax, 1921	76.50
	20.	F. B. Van Ornum, sale of tickets	8.80
	26.	North End Savings Bank, Loan due Dec. 15	10,000.00
	28.	Fay School, Supplies for Manual Training	63.00
July	10.	James A. DeMone, Garage License	10.00
		Comm. of Mass., Gypsy Moth	62.36
		F. B. Van Ornum, sale of material	14.08
Aug.	2.	do. sale of tickets	3.00
	4.	Town Hall Grounds, sale of wood	12.00
	15.	Comm. of Mass., Director of Stand- ards	6.00
	29.	Peoples' Nat. Bank, Loan due Dec. 30	5,000.00
Sept.	9.	F. B. Van Ornum, tickets returned	1.05
Oct.	5.	Comm. of Mass., Metropolitan Water Board Tax	2,294.87
	18.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Trustees of William H. Buck	100.00
		North End Savings Bank, Loan for Street, Marlboro Road	5,000.00
	21.	Worcester Cons. St. Ry. Co.	365.00

Nov.	7.	Town of Hopkinton, Tuition	185.00
	9.	F. B. Van Ornum, sale of books	5.74
	13.	Collette Bros., Garage License	2.00
	20.	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax,	
		Public Service	6,263.80
		do. Business	668.29
		Income Tax, General	3,689.96
		Income Tax, School Fund	2,360.00
		Bank Tax	7,083.44
		Street Railway	14.22
		Military Aid	102.00
		State Aid	378.00
		Soldiers' Exemption	50.76
Dec.	1.	Times Publishing Co., check returned	5.50
	6.	Comm. of Mass., School Supt.	732.48
	18.	do. High School Tuition, Special Cases	1,139.29
		Corp. Tax, Domestic, 1920	65.65
		Corp. Tax, Public, 1922	3.10
		Corp. Tax, Business, 1922	41.66
	22.	Wawick & York, refund	3.15
	28.	N. Y., N. H. & H. R.R. Co., Fires	13.50
	29.	Comm. of Mass., Tuition of	
		Children	1,453.45
		Income Tax, 1920	51.00
		Income Tax, 1921	51.00
		Income Tax, 1922	330.00
	30.	Edgar L. Ramsdell, County Treas.,	
		Dog Tax	451.26
Dec	30.	F. X. Reilly, Clerk, Court Fees	20.00
		C. L. Fairbanks, Junk License	10.00

do. Sealer of W. & Measures	22.06
Comm. of Mass., Mass. Training School	172.96
Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., Int.	557.53
E. Closson, refund on Fire Acct.	10.65
Boston & Albany R.R. Co., Fires	34.78
Cemetery Committee, Care of Lots	491.96
South Union School, Rent of Hall	14.00
Fayville Hall Committee, Rent	169.00
Town Hall Committee, Rent	395.85
Library, Fines	32.66
Cemetery Committee, Cash	855.00
Harry Burnett, Private Spraying	228.33
C. L. Fairbanks, Coll.	
Taxes, 1920	2,535.79
Taxes, 1921	8,724.05
Peoples' Nat. Bank, Int. on Deposits	307.66
S. H. Howes, Collector, 1922	63,556.98
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	\$165,755.00

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1922

Feb.	1.	South Union School, Int.	\$40.00
Apr.	1.	Library and School, Int.	20.00
	26.	Harris Forbes & Co., Int. on note due Nov. 1	210.00
		T. N. Waddell, Director, Note	2.00
May	6.	F. D. Newton, Court Fees	10.10
	20.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note	2.00
	27.	Peoples' Nat. Bank, Int. on note due Dec. 1	198.44

June	26.	North End Savings Bank, Int. on note due Dec. 15	181.55
July	1.	do. loan due on Stone Crusher	1,000.00
		do. 6 mos.' Interest on Stone Crusher	79.75
		Harris Forbes & Co., 6 mos.' Int. on Fire Engine	120.00
		T. N. Waddell, Director, Note	2.00
	31.	South Union School, Bonds	2,000.00
		do. 6 mos.' Int.	40.00
Aug.	19.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note	2.00
	29.	Peoples' Nat. Bank, Int. on Note due Dec. 30	66.50
Sept.	22.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Notes	4.00
	30.	South Union School, Bonds	1,000.00
		do. Int.	20.00
Oct.	18.	Edgar L. Ramsdell, County Treas., County Tax	4,000.00
Nov.	1.	Harris Forbes & Co., Note due	10,000.00
	20.	Comm. of Mass., State Tax	6,600.00
		State Highway Rep.	738.20
		Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth	300.94
		Civilian War Poll Tax	1,638.00
Dec.	1.	Peoples' Nat. Bank, Note due	10,000.00
		Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., De- posit Cemetery Trust Funds Dep.	300.00
	15.	No. End Savings Bank, Note due	10,000.00
	30.	Harris Forbes & Co., Note, Fire Engine	1,000.00
		do. 6 mos.' Int., Fire Engine	120.00

North End Savings Bank, 6 mos.'	
Int. Stone Crusher	52.25
Peoples' Nat. Bank, Note due	5,000.00
1000 2c Stamped Envelopes	22.08
Cemetery Trust Funds, Care of Lots	491.96
Selectmen's Orders	80,677.90
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	\$135,939.67
Balance	29,815.33
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	\$165,755.00

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Fay Library**

1922				
Jan.	1.	Balance		\$7.30
	19.	Marlboro Savings Bank,		
		Int.	\$2.34	
		American Tel. & Tel. Co.	20.00	
June		Town of Gardner	10.00	
July	20.	Marlboro Savings Bank,		
		Int.	2.34	
		American Tel & Tel. Co.	20.00	
Nov.	2.	Town of Gardner	10.00	64.68
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				\$71.98

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Willson Charity Fund**

1922

Jan.	1.	Balance		\$172.33
	6.	United Shoe Mach. Co.	15.00	
Apr.	6.	United Shoe Mach. Co.	15.00	
July	5.	United Shoe Mach. Co.	15.00	
Oct.	5.	United Shoe Mach. Co.	15.00	60.00
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				\$232.33
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Dec.	1.	Jessie W. Metcalf, Treas.		50.00
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				\$182.33

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Rural Cemetery Commissioners**

1922

Jan.	1.	Balance		\$628.76
Mar.	11.	Lawrence Finn, Lot 9, Sec.		
		15	\$40.00	
	29.	Paul Bosselli, Lot 8, Sec.		
		13	15.00	
Apr.	11.	Charles S. Jones, Lot 48,		
		Sec. 12	30.00	
	14.	E. Edwin Atwood, Lot 61,		
		Sec. 11	30.00	
	17.	Walter B. Brewer, Lot 42,		
		Sec. 12	30.00	
		Emily M. Currier, Lot 3,		
		Sec. 15	40.00	
May	17.	Robert B. Hamilton, Lot		
		59, West Half Sec. 11	30.00	
	27.	Edward E. Chase, Lot 13,		
		Sec. 15	30.00	
Sept.	30.	Sarah M. Fassett, Lot 42,		
		Sec. 12	30.00	
Oct.	21.	Lewis G. Kriss, Lot 18,		
		Sec. 13	30.00	
		Interest on Money Dep.	16.09	321.09
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				\$949.85

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1922.

Total number of stables inspected	81
Number of dairy cows inspected	710
Number of young cattle inspected	219
Number of bulls inspected	27
Total number of cattle inspected	956
Number of swine inspected	124
Number of goats inspected	15
Number of sheep inspected	2
Total number of animals inspected	1097
Number of cattle quarantined	2
Number of cattle killed	2
Number of cattle released	0

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. ONTHANK,

Inspector of Animals

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

129 Trust Funds	Lot	Section	Deposited with Treas.	Interest Unexpended	Interest 1921	Total Interest	Care of Lot	Unex- pended
Angier, C. M.	28	11	100.00	5.75	5.00	10.75	3.23	7.52
Arnold, Jackson	27	2	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Baker Lot	13	10	100.00	16.00	5.00	21.00	4.00	17.00
Bacon, A. E.	4	3	100.00	10.75	5.00	15.75	15.00	.75
Barney, Nancy E.	17	5	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Bemis, M. E.	46	2	100.00	9.00	5.00	14.00	4.00	10.00
Bemis, Jacob	37	3	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Belknap, Hiram	48	2	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	4.00	1.25
Blair, M. Lizzie	7	7	100.00		3.75	3.75	2.00	1.75
Brigham, Lucretia L.	7	9	100.00	11.75	5.00	16.75	7.00	9.75
Brigham, Dana E.	6	5	75.00	.62	3.75	4.37	3.50	.87
Brigham, E. M.	17	2	100.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	4.00	6.00
Brewer, Walter L.	25	9	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	4.00	3.50
Brewer, Arthur F.	5	11	75.00	.62	3.75	4.37	3.50	.87
Brown Lot	29	9	100.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	4.62	5.38
Buck, Mrs. Charles M.	42	6	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50
Buck, Wallace B.	3	7	50.00		2.50	2.50	2.00	.50
Buck, William H.	49	7	100.00		.85	.85		.85
Burdett Fund	15	9	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	4.00	4.50

Burnett, Charles	32	3	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.00	.72
Chamberlain, Ephraim	10	3	100.00	9.50	5.00	14.50	4.50	10.00
Chamberlain, John	6	3	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Chamberlain, Ellen J.	7	1	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	4.00	4.50
Choate, E. C.	50	11	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	4.00	8.50
Clifford, William D.	20	4	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Coldwell, William H.	30	10	100.00	1.70	5.00	6.70	4.00	2.70
Colleary, Wm. and Jo'n	17	12	100.00	.75	5.00	5.75	4.00	1.75
Cook, Hiram E., Mrs.	33	9	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	5.00	7.50
Collins, William	18 & 4	4-10	150.00	10.28	7.50	17.78	8.00	9.78
Collins, Leander A.	3	9	75.00	.12	3.75	3.87	3.12	.75
Davis, Benjamin	2	2	100.00	9.50	5.00	14.50	4.00	10.50
Dillingham, Benj. C.	22	4	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	4.00	3.50
Este, F. F.	43	3	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	4.00	2.50
Eames, Jon. G. Fund	50	7	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	4.00	2.25
Fay, Maria H., Mrs.	9	3	100.00	6.50	5.00	11.50	4.00	7.50
Fay, Manassah	9	2	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	4.00	4.50
Fay, Josiah C.	1-44	2-3	125.00	.89	6.25	7.14	5.89	1.25
Fay, Temple	33	7	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	4.00	3.50
Fay, Francis A.	2	11	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	4.00	5.50
Fay, Mary M.	11	9	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Fay, Benjamin H.	1	3	100.00		3.75	3.75	2.00	1.75

Fisher, Sarah, Miss	21	4	100.00	6.50	5.00	11.50	5.00	6.50
Fisher, Geo. C.	43-43½	4	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Follensby, Lyman	54	11	75.00	.62	3.75	4.37	3.62	.75
Follensby, Francis and Edmund Bailey	28	8	100.00		5.00	5.00	4.00	1.00
Gilmore, Nelson	43	7	100.00	8.50	5.00	13.50	4.00	9.50
Gibson, John T.	1	6	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Gilbert, Ella Howe Balcome	31	7	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Glidden, John, Mrs.	34	11	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
Guild, E. A.	19	10	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	4.00	3.50
Hammond, John W.	23	2	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	4.00	2.50
Harrington, Levi	29	7	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	4.00	2.50
Haynes, Frank E. and Henry L. Sawtelle	24	2	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Harvey W. and Artem- as Moore	19	1	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
Hodge, Roswell B.	16	10	75.00	.62	3.75	4.37	3.62	.75
Howe, Ashbel	47	3	100.00	8.50	5.00	13.50	4.00	9.50
Howard, Isaac	36	9	75.00	.62	3.75	4.37	3.62	.75
Hyde, Harriet M.	3	10	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
Hyde, Abraham, H's of 12	12	3	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	4.00	3.75

Jennison, Mary	47	7	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	4.00	8.50
Jennison, William	43	6	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	4.00	2.50
Jennison, Joseph	40	3	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
Johnson, Addison F.	25	2	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	4.00	5.50
Johnson, Lewis F. and Nathan L.	51-52	6	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Kaler, Aristed D.	30	7	100.00		5.00	5.00	4.00	1.00
Kelley, John	3	13	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Knight & Green	16	6	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Lane, Geo. E.	23	9	75.00	.62	3.75	4.37	3.12	1.25
Long, Sam. and Sarah	24	10	100.00		5.00	5.00	4.00	1.00
McCarthy, James	21	12	100.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	4.00	6.00
McQuarrie, A.	1	1	75.00	2.62	3.75	6.37	3.62	2.75
Mitchell, Michael	40	9	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	4.00	4.50
Mitchell, D. W., Mrs.	38	11	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	4.00	4.50
Mixer Lot	25	5	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	4.00	4.50
Moore, Susan	19	9	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Morse, Harriet E.	20	3	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Moulton, Fred, H's of	50	6	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Murry, Timothy	28	9	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
Neal, Harrison	11-1	1-10	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Newton, Adoniram J.	51	11	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	4.00	3.50

Newton, Albro	29	10	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Newton, Charles H.	48	2A	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
Newton, Curtis	29	3	100.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	4.00	6.00
Newton, Harvey	28	1	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
Newton, Lincoln, H'rs of	27	4	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Newton, Lucy	26	10	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Newton, Stephen and Dexter	21	3	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
Newton, Sullivan B.	34	8	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	4.00	3.50
Newton, Sylvester	25	3	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
Nichols, Mary A., Mrs.	51	7	100.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	4.00	6.00
Nichols, Horace	17	9	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	4.00	8.50
Nye, Daniel B. and Edmund R. Kaler	42	7	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.00	1.50
O'Leary, J. Otis	36	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Oliver, H. Kimble	E	B	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	4.00	2.50
Onthank, Charles H.	49-50	3	150.00	4.28	7.50	11.78	8.00	3.78
Onthank, Nahum H.	24	1	100.00	1.17	5.00	6.17	4.00	2.17
Onthank, W. A. and Clara I. Houghton	21	11	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
Parker, Hiram, Mrs.	22	1	75.00	1.12	3.75	4.87	3.00	1.87
Parker, Charles S.	34	6	100.00	1.35	5.00	6.35	4.00	2.35

Parmenter, Warren	30	3	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	4.00	2.50
Pearl, Lois D.	34	9	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Prentiss, Abner	1½-48	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Prentiss, B. F., Mrs.	1½-48	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Robinson, J. H., Est. of A	A	A	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Rogers, Frederick and								
Onthank Fund	51	3	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Salmon, Patrick	8	12	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	4.00	2.50
Sawin, C. B.	25	6	75.00	.43	3.75	4.18	3.43	.75
Shuttleworth, Peter	6	10	100.00		5.00	5.00	4.00	1.00
Smith, Isaac, H's of	52	3	100.00	5.50	5.00	10.50	5.50	5.00
Smith, Addison, H's of	33	11	75.00	.62	3.75	4.37	3.62	.75
Smith, William W.	15	8	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	4.00	4.50
Smith, Samuel A.	33	6	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	4.00	4.50
Snow, Ella F.	22	8	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Sparrowk, John	35	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Taylor, Abbie A.	45	11	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Taylor, Charles E.	32	12	75.00	.62	3.75	4.37	3.62	.75
Waldron, E. J.	1	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Ward, Ephraim	23	3	100.00	10.50	5.00	15.50	4.00	11.50
Ward & Boutilier	29	11	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Webster, Horace F.	2	6	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50

Walker, Lorenzo	18	5	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
Williams, Ella & Sib-								
ley Lot	54	4	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Williams & Marshall	16	5	100.00	6.50	5.00	11.50	4.00	7.50
Whiting, Seth	8	3	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	4.00	4.50
Whiting, Edward	16	3	50.00	.23	2.50	2.73	2.23	.50
Whittemore, Marshall	15	5	100.00	13.50	5.00	18.50	4.00	14.50
Woodward, F. R. and								
John LeBosquet	6-13	8	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Wood, C. A.	30-32	9	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	4.50	1.00
Wyman, Hannah	52	2A	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	4.50	3.00
			<u>\$11,425.00</u>			<u>884.33</u>	<u>490.96</u>	<u>393.37</u>

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN OF
THE TOWN OF SOUTHBOROUGH FOR 1922**

The Gypsy Moth situation is a little better than last year, though we still have them with us.

We have spent considerable money on trimming the trees from the last November storm.

I would say that we have planted 135 rock maple trees this year, which will, I hope, turn out well in the future.

I ask for \$3,500 for the proper maintenance of the Gypsy Moth and Tree Warden work.

HARRY BURNETT,
Tree Warden

January 8th, 1923.

REPORT OF CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

The apparatus of the Southboro Fire Department consists of 1 Howe Dodge Pumper, Motor Ladder Truck, stationed at Southboro Center, 1-2 Tank Chemical at Fayville, 1-1 tank at Southville. With the exception of the pumper, the apparatus is in very poor condition.

The Ladder Truck, at Southboro Center, has passed the stage where it would be economical to repair it.

The chemical at Fayville is in about the same condition.

The chemical at Southville will work after a fashion.

There is a spare Ladder Truck at Cordaville, equipped with ladders.

The members of the Southborough Fire Department have every reason to be proud of the record they have made for the year 1922. Working under the handicap of having to be called by telephone, and many of them living a long way from the Fire Station. Time and time again the apparatus has left the Fire Station inside of ten minutes after receiving the first telephone call.

The total number of alarms for the year was	36
Houses, Barns, and chimneys	16
Forest Fires	20

Total value of property placed in danger by fire,
\$29,200.00

Total value of property destroyed \$9,562.00

I think you will have to agree with me when I say that is quite a record for a body of amateurs.

Recommendations that will place Southborough Fire Department in a position to fight fires efficiently.

Equipment at present:

One Howe Dodge Combination Pumper, that is dangerous to run. One wheel collapsed during the last year. We are trying to carry three-ton load on a Dodge touring car chassis, and it can't be done.

One two-tank chemical at Fayville, that is out of commission.

One one-tank chemical at Southville, that works after a fashion.

One ladder truck that is past repairing.

To place the Fire Department of Southborough in a position to work efficiently I recommend the following pieces of apparatus be purchased:

Install a new rear end in Dodge Pumper and station at

Southville; cost of same to be \$500.00

One two-tank motor chemical for Fayville,
cost 2,400.00

One motor ladder truck, stationed at South-
borough, cost 8,500.00

One 500-gallon-a-minute motor pumper at
Southborough, cost 9,500.00

Six cisterns, capacity 20,000 gallons each, cost 4,800.00

Place one at or near drug store, one in
front of High School, one in front of F.

D. Newton's, Fayville; one on Oak Hill,
one in square in Southville, one in square
in Cordaville.

1100 ft. of fire hose, cost	1,200.00
Siren fire alarm, all installed, cost	600.00
Total	<hr/> \$27,500.00

During the past year the Fire Department answered nearly as many fire alarms as the department in Marlboro, where they have a good many permanent men.

10 house fires.

2 barns.

4 chimneys.

20 forest.

Total, 36 fires in twelve months, and nothing to work with. Give it a little bit of serious consideration, it may be your house next.

Our record for the past year as regards fire losses will compare favorably with any other town in the State.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE CLOSSON,

Chief of Southborough Fire Dept.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT, 1922

Number of volumes in Library	15,050
Number of volumes purchased	101
Number of volumes donated	80
Number of volumes delivered	9,556
Number of volumes delivered in Southville	700
Number of volumes delivered in Fayville	1,809
Largest number of books delivered in a day	102
Largest number of books delivered in a month	875
Smallest number of books delivered in a day	0
Smallest number of books delivered in a month	636
Average attendance a day	17
Average attendance a month	435
Fines collected	\$32.66
Books delivered in Southboro in the following classes:	
000 General Works	10
100 Philosophy	38
200 Religion	20
300 Sociology	27
400 Philology	0
500 Science	32
600 Useful Arts	63
800 Literature	121
900 History	60
910-919 Travel	46
920 Biography	63
Fiction	6,558

Current Periodicals	412
Juvenile	
Fiction	1,177
Non-Fiction, including Science, Fine Arts, History, Current Periodicals, Literature	159
Books delivered in Southville in the following classes:	
Adult Fiction	365
Juvenile Fiction	335
Books delivered in Fayville in the following classes:	
Fiction	1,710
Current Periodicals	97

Respectfully submitted,

S. V. STIVERS,
Librarian

FICTION

- Andivius Hedulio. E. L. White.
 At the earth's core. E. R. Burroughs.
 Black Bartlemy's treasure. Jeffery Farnol.
 Black gold. A. P. Terhune.
 The blind man's eyes. William MacHarg.
 Carnac's folly. H. G. Parker.
 Charles Rex. E. M. Dell.
 The city of fire. G. L. H. Lutz.
 The country beyond. J. O. Curwood.
 The dark mirror. L. J. Vance.
 Doors of the night. F. L. Packard.
 The dust flower. W. B. B. King.
 The empty sack. W. B. B. King.
 The everlasting whisper. Jackson Gregory.
 Fair Harbor. J. C. Lincoln.
 The fighting edge. W. MacL. Raine.

Gentle Julia. B. N. Tarkington.
 The girl from Montana. G. L. H. Lutz.
 The golden snare. J. O. Curwood.
 The great Prince Shan. E. P. Oppenheim.
 The great secret. E. P. Oppenheim.
 Harlequin and Columbine. B. N. Tarkington.
 Head of the House of Coombe. F. H. Burnett.
 Her father's daughter. Gene Stratton-Porter.
 His dog. A. P. Terhune.
 Hypatia. Charles Kingsley.
 If winter comes. A. S. M. Hutchinson.
 In the days of Poor Richard. I. A. Bacheller.
 Joan of Arc of the North Woods. H. F. Day.
 Judith of the Godless Valley. H. McC. Wilisie.
 Laramie holds the range. F. H. Spearman.
 The man from the wilds. Harold Bindloss.
 The man in the twilight. Ridgwell Cullum.
 Maria Chapdelaine. Louis Hemon.
 Martin Conisby's vengeance. Jeffery Farnol.
 The mayflower. I. V. Blasco.
 Millions. Ernest Poole.
 Moby-Dick. Herman Melville.
 My opinions and Betsey Bobbet's. Mrs. Josiah Allen.
 The mystery girl. Carolyn Wells.
 Northwest. Harold Bindloss.
 Oh, You Tex. W. MacL. Raine.
 Once aboard the lugger. A. S. M. Hutchinscn.
 The outcast. S. O. L. Lagerlof.
 The pathless trail. A. O. Friel.
 The ragged edge. Harold MacGrath.
 Robin. F. H. Burnett.

Saint Teresa. H. S. Harrison.
 Scaramouche. Rafael Sabatini.
 Tarzan the untamed. E. R. Burroughs.
 Then came Molly. H. V. C. Ogden.
 This freedom. A. S. M. Hutchinson.
 The tidal wave. E. M. Dell.
 Tide rips. J. B. Connolly.
 "Timber." Harold Titus.
 To the last man. Zane Grey.
 The trail of the White Mule. B. M. Sinclair.
 The triumph of Virginia Dale. John Francis, Jr.
 Vandermark's folly. J. H. Quick.
 Vanity Fair. W. M. Thackeray.
 The wind bloweth. Donn Byrne.
 The witness. G. L. H. Lutz.

000 GENERAL WORKS

Cumulative book index. E. E. Hawkins.
 Encyclopaedia of useful information. D. L. Webster.
 Harper's magazine, 1878.

100 PHILOSOPHY

The conquest of fear. W. B. B. King.
 What prohibition has done to America. Fabian Franklin.

200 RELIGION

The book of Mormon. Joseph Smith, tr.
 International Jew.
 Jewish activities in United States.

The new world of Islam. T. L. Stoddard.

300 SOCIOLOGY

Acts and resolves. Mass. General Court.
 Annual proceedings of the American Legion.

- Annual report. Interstate Commerce Com.
 Annual report. Mass. Auditor.
 Annual report. 2 vol. Mass. Board of Education.
 Annual report. Mass. Com. of Banks.
 Annual report. 2 vol. Mass. Dept. of Public Health.
 Annual report. 2 vol. Mass. Southborough.
 Annual report. Mass. Statistics, Municipal F.
 Biennial survey of Education. 2 vol. U. S. Bureau of
 Education.
 The general laws. 2 vol. Massachusetts.
 Handbook of American Private Schools. P. E. Sargent.
 Journal of the G. A. R. 1920-21. 2 vol. Mass.
 Journal of the House. 1922. Mass.
 Journal of the House. 1721-22. Mass. Historical
 Society.
 Journal of the Senate. 1922. Mass.
 Report of the Commissioner of Public Safety. Mass.
 Temporary index to the General Laws. Mass.

500 NATURAL SCIENCE

- Annual report of the board of regents, 1902. Smith-
 sonian Institution.
 Birds of North and Middle America. 2 vol. Smith-
 sonian Institution.
 Outline of Science. 4 vol. J. A. Thomson.
 Proceedings of the U. S. N. Museum. Smithsonian In-
 stitution.

600 USEFUL ARTS

- Annual Agriculture report. Massachusetts.
 Gardening with brains. H. T. Finck.
 Grasses and forage plants. C. L. Flint,

700 FINE ARTS

The little garden. Mrs. Francis King.
A short history of art. J. B. DeForest.

800 LITERATURE

The last harvest. John Burroughs.

910-919 TRAVEL

Manchuria, land of opportunities.
The friendly Arctic. Viljalmur Stefansson.

920 BIOGRAPHY

Behind the mirrors.
Life and letters of Henry Lee Higginson. Perry Bliss.
Men around the Kaiser. F. W. Wile.
Wilmer Atkinson, an autobiography.

940.9 WAR BOOKS

Dear Old "K."
Forging the sword (Camp Devens). W. J. Robinson.
The great adventure at Washington. Mark Sullivan.
A Jewish chaplain in France. L. J. Levinger.
The medical department of the U. S. A. in the World
War, by C. B. Davenport and others.

900 HISTORY

An artillery officer in the Mexican War. Robert Anderson.
Historic events of Worcester. Worcester Bank & Trust.
A history of the U. S. since the Civil War. E. P. Oberholtzer.
Major Robert Anderson and Fort Sumter. E. A. Lawton.
The 19th Century. Robert Mackenzie.
The story of mankind. H. W. Van Loon.

Juveniles

FICTION

Heart of Oak books. 3 vol. C. E. Norton.

The hunters of the hills. J. A. Altsheler.

Little grandmother. R. S. Clarke.

Pretty Polly Flinders. M. S. Blaisdell.

The story of Dr. Dolittle. 2 cop. Hugh Lofting.

This year's book for boys. George Atwood.

NON-FICTION

Lest we forget. J. G. Thompson.

Natural history. Rev. J. G. Wood.

Young folk's history of Boston. Hezekiah Butterworth.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
School Committee
OF
Southborough, Massachusetts
For the Year Ending December 31
1922



REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The schools at Fayville and at Cordaville, and the lower grade-schools in the center of the town, call for little comment, except praise. They do their work effectively and quietly. Their teachers seldom change.

The weak spots in the system have existed at the center, in the upper grades and in the High School where frequent changes in the rather mediocre teaching force have prevented anything like a tradition of success, and have gone far to establish a deplorable inefficiency. There is one outstanding exception—since September, 1921, the Commercial Department has been most ably conducted.

Improvement in this condition called first for better teachers, therefore higher salaries, therefore an increased budget—unless a very material saving could be made somewhere. After months of discussion, it was voted to discontinue Manual Training temporarily, at least—until results in Grades 7 and 8, and in the High School should show marked improvement, until pupils wishing to enter college or other higher schools could go up for examinations with some chance of 'passing'—until the diplomas should represent real achievement.

The position of the Committee with regard to Manual Training, and to Cooking and Sewing, is that, unless these courses can be made entirely practical, can

be made to lay an effective foundation for real results later on, the expenditure on their account is not justifiable. The town offers free tuition at the Worcester Trade School. Very few, however, take advantage of this very real opportunity.

At present, the Manual Training equipment is being used by St. Mark's School and by the Fay School, the two schools agreeing to pay costs of light, power, and heat, also to make good all breakage and to maintain the equipment in condition as of September, 1922. The matter of rental remains to be adjusted.

Without overlooking, by any means, the continued excellent work of the teachers who remained in their old positions, the Committee wishes to express to the newcomers its keen appreciation of their excellent work as laying a foundation for permanent improvement.

The recent resignation of Miss Woodbury on account of ill-health was accepted. Miss Taylor was appointed. Early in the school year Miss Bliss was elected to the position of Mrs. McLean, resigned.

In September Mrs. John T. Burnett resigned from the Committee. For her active interest in the schools, and particularly in their improvement, she deserves the thanks of the townspeople. Mrs. Robert H. Johnson was appointed in her place. The resignation of Mr. Van Ornum very late in the summer was embarrassing. Mr. Charles M. Harris, formerly of Plymouth, Mass., was secured, and has proved an extremely helpful and capable Superintendent.

Mr. Woodward as Principal of the High School deserves the fullest support of every parent. He should

be retained. It is, however, very certain that he will not put up with his very unsatisfactory living arrangement. Some way should be found, now, of providing a suitable house in the center of the town for the Principal's use. It should not be forgotten that the present housing of our non-resident teachers is a strong inducement to their remaining here.

The Upkeep Account has been smaller than usual. The Fayville School building needs attention, and the outside stairways and porches at the Peters High School must be renewed.

The Parent-Teacher Association has engaged to install and maintain a telephone at the High School.

In the Financial Report, which follows, it will be noted that some \$1800 was returned to the town. This balance came partly from the impossibility of securing the full supply of coal, and partly from the September to January saving on account of Manual Training.

SAMUEL CLARK,
MRS. ROBERT H. JOHNSON,
FREDERICK C. STAPLES.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Southborough,

I herewith submit for your consideration my first annual report.

My brief acquaintance with the Southborough school system causes me to feel quite incompetent to submit at this time recommendations for material changes.

The town has been able to retain many of its teachers who are doing efficient work. Some changes in the teaching staff have taken place, but the positions left vacant have been very satisfactorily filled. Viewed in its entirety the educational system is a credit to the town.

AMERICANIZATION

Information has been received from the State Department of Education that there is a group of men at Fayville who are anxious to receive public school instruction in English and Citizenship.

To bring this about in an effective way, the School Board of Southborough should officially accept the provisions of Chapter 69, Sections 9 and 10.

In this way the town would be re-imburshed by the State one-half the amount expended for supervision and instruction.

Such action of the School Board would naturally be dependent upon the action of the town toward an appropriation requisite to carry on the work.

VISITING SCHOOLS

The teachers of the public schools welcome at all times visits from the parents and citizens. This would give both teachers and parents another viewpoint in regard to pupils and children. A better understanding would exist all around and co-operation would be continuous. The Superintendent urges the taxpayers to accept this invitation, at any time throughout the school year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. HARRIS,
Superintendent of Schools

Southborough, January 31, 1923.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF PETERS HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools,
Southborough, Massachusetts.

I hereby submit my report for the year ending December 31st, 1922. In this report, which covers only four months work, I feel that I cannot discuss the work in detail, and in consequence I shall confine myself to a general statement of enrollment, graduates pursuing courses in higher institutions of learning, and some ideas for the advancement of Peters High along scholastic as well as athletic lines.

The enrollment at present is as follows:

HIGH SCHOOL

Class	Academic	Commercial	Total
Freshmen			
Girls	11	5	16
Boys	6	3	9
Sophomore			
Girls	7	6	13
Boys	3	5	8
Junior			
Girls	3	6	9
Boys	1	7	8
Senior			
Girls	2	9	11

Boys	1	3	4
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Total	34	44	78

GRADES

	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	VII.	VIII.	T't'l
Girls	11	10	7	10	14	9	9	15	85
Boys	10	6	8	10	7	4	11	11	67
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Total	21	16	15	20	21	13	20	26	152
High School									78

Grand Total 230

A table of courses offered in the High School and the number of students in each course follows:

Subject	No.	Subject	No.
English I.	24	Comm. Arith. I.	25
English II.	21	Bkpg. III.	10
English III.	17	Typewriting II.	12
English IV.	15	Typewriting III.	12
Biol. I and II.	18	Typewriting IV.	12
Chem. III. and IV.	14	Stenography III.	6
Anc. Hist. I. and II.	16	Stenography IV.	11
Elem. Alg. II.	21	Home Econ. I.	12
Plane Geom. III.	8	Home Econ. II.	12
Rev. Math. IV.	3	French II.	19
Latin I.	20	French III.	10
Caesar II.	7	French IV.	3
Cicero III. and IV.	6	Am. Hist. III. and IV.	16

Although I have been connected with the High School but a short time, I feel that the pupils are co-

operating to a very large extent, and I expect the entire student body to be in sympathy with the ideals which I have tried to instil in their minds and hearts. With this co-operation, I hope that by the beginning of another school year the citizens may feel that Peters High is again on the way to its rightful place in the educational affairs of the state.

There have been held several interesting teachers' meetings, in which problems of educational importance have been discussed. These meetings gave us a keener zest for our work and a determination to make every day of our school year mean something to those who are dependent upon us for educational guidance.

So far this year our athletic activities have been confined to basket ball. We have a good team. They play the game hard, but they keep in mind the fact that athletics is of secondary importance only, and in consequence their scholarship has been improved. Still more improvement can be shown, however.

I wish to call the attention of the parents to the social activities of their children. I feel that the proper supervision of these activities is a duty of the parents as well as the teacher. Some of our young people have been inclined to let these activities interfere with their school work. In such cases the report cards are a fair barometer, and a falling off in good work should be investigated. If too much social pleasure is the cause, measures should be taken at home to correct such conditions.

I sincerely deplore the fact that the school lunches have been dispensed with, as I feel they would do much

good. However, I realize that the responsibility of such work falls upon a very few, and every parent has enough to do at home without the additional work of serving hot lunches at the school. The pupils, however, feel the loss.

I should like to see Manual Training restored to the curricula of the High School, but I feel that if it is restored, it should be given every day and not twice a week.

The Commercial Course is overcrowded, but the addition of four or five new typewriters would greatly improve this condition. At present two classes have to be divided into two groups, and each group uses the machines only twenty minutes a day, instead of forty minutes, which is the standard period.

I would suggest that new desks and chairs be purchased for the main study room of the High School. Many of the desks are deeply scarred and in many cases are unfit to write upon.

The graduates of last year have continued their work as follows: One at Bryant & Stratton Business College, one at Chauncey Hall, one at Northfield Seminary, one at Miss Wheelock's School, one at Framingham Normal, one at Chandler Secretarial School, one at the Conservatory of Music, and one at the Worcester Post Business College.

I wish to call the attention of the parents to the irregular attendance and the unnecessary tardiness of the pupils. Absence is, in many cases, the cause of inferior work. Unnecessary tardiness can be corrected by the parents. Promptness is a virtue and is reflected

in the student's after-life in whatever occupation he enters.

In conclusion I wish to thank the Superintendent for his kindly suggestions, the teachers of the building for their co-operation, and the members of the School Board, for their support.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT S. WOODWARD,
Principal

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

GENERAL EXPENSES

Administration and expenses	\$1,453.98
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EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

Salaries	19,126.18
Text Books	768.02
Supplies	517.28

OPERATING EXPENSES

Janitor	2,489.94
Fuel	1,463.68
Miscellaneous	258.46
Repairs	244.80
Health	647.45
Transportation	3,745.00
New Equipment	18.38
Tuition	46.00
Trimming Trees	169.09
Census Expense	66.64
Expenses of Graduation	86.70
Miscellaneous	67.85

Total Expenditure	\$31,169.35
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SCHOOL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1922

Number of persons in town between the ages of 5 and 7 years: Boys, 23; girls, 24; total 47.

TEACHERS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

SOUTHBORO, MASS., SEPTEMBER, 1922

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Albert S. Woodward	Prin. High Sch. Science & Math.		*Tufts College
Regina Madden	Asst. High Sch. French & English		*Boston University
Josephine McCarthy	Asst. High Sch. Com'l Subjects	130 Summer St. Somerville, Mass.	*State Normal School Salem, Mass.
Martha L. Woodbury	Asst. High Sch. Latin & Hist.	Dover, Me.	*Colby College
Mary Finn	High Sch. Bldg. Grades V. & VI.	Southboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Beryl Fradd	High Sch. Bldg. Grades VII. & VIII.		*State Normal School Lowell, Mass.
Helen Sullivan	High Sch. Bldg. Grades III. & IV.	New Bedford, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Florence Bassett	High Sch. Bldg. Grades I. & II.	Worcester, Mass.	*State Normal School Worcester, Mass.
Margaret Neary	Fayville Primary Grades I.—III.	Southboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.

*Graduate of

Number of persons in town between the ages of 7 and
14 years: Boys, 91; girls, 89; total 180.

Number of persons in town between the ages of 14 and
16 years: Boys, 41; girls, 36; total 77.

ATTENDANCE DATA, YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
1922

Total Enrollment for all the schools	334
Average Membership	317
Average Daily Attendance	291

LIST OF TEACHERS SOUTHBORO PUBLIC SCHOOLS, SEPT. 1, 1922,

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Julia F. Gleason	Prin. So. Union Sch. Grades VII. & VIII.	5 Thoreau St., Concord, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Maisie I. Bliss	So. Union School Grades IV.—VI.	Marlboro, N. H.	High School, Keene, N. H.
Mary Reagan	So. Union School Grades I.—III.	Westboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Mrs. Alice E. Brigham	Supervisor of Music	Northboro, Mass.	*New England Con- servatory of Music
Martha Tower	Special Teacher Domestic Arts	Hudson, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
*Graduate of			

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GIRLS—MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, APRIL 1, 1922

AGE

	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
Grade 1	13	8	1												22
Grade 2		6	4	1											11
Grade 3		1	6	8	1			1							17
Grade 4			1	7	6	1									15
Grade 5					4	3	3	1							11
Grade 6					1	5	5	2	1						14
Grade 7						3	5	9	2	1					20
Grade 8							4	6	4	3					17
Grade 9								1	8	1	2				12
Grade 10									6	1	2				9
Grade 11									1	3	2		4	1	11
Grade 12												1	4	1	6
Total	13	15	12	16	12	12	17	20	22	9	6	5	5	1	165

ENROLLMENT, FALL TERM, BY SCHOOLS, 1922

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1st Year	2nd Year	3rd Year	4th Year	Ttl.
High School Bldg.													
High School									24	21	17	15	77
Miss Fradd							19	27					46
Miss Finn					22	13							35
Miss Sullivan			16	20									36
Miss Bassett	23	14											37
Fayville Primary													
Miss Neary	12	9	12										33
So. Union School													
Miss Gleason							11	13					24
Miss Bliss				14	6	7							27
Miss Reagan	15	12	6										33
Total	50	35	34	34	28	20	30	40	24	21	17	15	348

GRADUATION EXERCISES

of the Class of 1922

PETER'S HIGH SCHOOL

PROGRAMME

MARCH

SONG, The Stars are Gleaming W. Rhys-Herbert
School Chorus

SALUTATORY

Alice C. Martin

CLASS HISTORY

Elizabeth Ann Ramelli

SONG, A Garden Lullaby

Jacques Offenbach

School Chorus

CLASS PROPHECY

Minnie Schrader

CLASS GIFTS

Mary Louise Draper

CLASS WILL

Francis Joseph Maley

ESSAY

George F. Guinasso

PRESENTATION OF SENIOR PRIZE

Superintendent F. B. Van Ornum

SONG, The Two Grenadiers

Robert Shumann

School Chorus

VALEDICTORY

Marion G. Walkins

ADDRESS

The Rev. William Greenough Thayer

Headmaster of St. Mark's School

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

Samuel Clark, Chairman of the School Committee

CLASS SONG

Words by Gladys Mingo
Class of 1922

HONOR GRADUATES

Carl O. Anderson	Alton Byard Spurr
George F. Guinasso	Marion G. Walkins
Alice C. Martin	Ellwood Warren Ward

CLASS OF 1922

COLLEGE COURSE

Gladys Dortha Mingo	Ellwood Warren Ward
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COMMERCIAL COURSE

George F. Guinasso	Elizabeth Ann Ramelli
Alice C. Martin	Minnie Schrader
Marion G. Walkins	

GENERAL COURSE

Carl O. Anderson	Mary Louise Draper
Helen Frances Butler	Francis Joseph Maley
Alton Byard Spurr	

CLASS COLORS

Blue and Gold

CLASS FLOWER

American Beauty Rose

CLASS MOTTO

"By work, we accomplish"

CLASS SONG

(To the tune of Alma Mater)

I.

Dear Southboro High, "Farewell" our song
Our parting days have come at last,
The happy hours we've enjoyed, ere long,
Will be but memories of the past.
We cannot tear aside the veil
That hides the future from our view,
And though our earnest efforts fail
We will not falter, but live anew.

II.

And when mid varied scenes we wander
Time speeds away-away-away,
And as on bygone days you ponder
Give to us one sweet thought we pray.
And teachers, classmates, one and all,
As we bid you all a fond "Goodbye"
May life's richest blessings on you fall,
For we still love the "Southboro High."

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

WORCESTER, SS.

FEBRUARY 6, 1924

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the First Precinct of the said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House, in said Southborough, on

MONDAY, MARCH 3, 1924

and to notify the inhabitants of the Second Precinct of the said Town of Southborough qualified to vote in elections to meet in the South Union School on

MONDAY, MARCH 3, 1924

and to bring in their votes to the Election Officers of the respective precincts for: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Selectman, (for three years); Assessor, (for three years); Overseer of the Poor, (for three years); Member of the School Committee, (for three years); Cemetery Commissioner, (for three years); Member of the Board of Health (for three years); Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden, Three Members of Town House Committee, Five Constables, Two Trustees of Fay Library, (for three years); and Two Members of the Advisory Committee, (for three years). And to vote by ballot, Yes or No, on the question: "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town."

The Polls, in each precinct, will be opened at 6:30 o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

And to notify the inhabitants of said Town of Southborough qualified to vote in elections to assemble in a subsequent meeting in the Town House in said Southborough on

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 10, 1924,

at 7:30 o'clock, to consider and act upon the following articles of the

TOWN WARRANT

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To hear Reports of Town Officers and Com-

mittees and do or act thereon.

Art. 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town's use and to pass any vote in respect to the same.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the majority of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 5. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money obtained from the licensing of dogs.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars to be expended by Post 44 of the Grand Army of the Republic, for Memorial Day and decorating soldiers' graves.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 5, of the General Laws, or do or act thereon.

Art. 8. To see whether the Town will purchase a road roller and a motor dump cart for the Highway Department, raise and appropriate money therefor, or pass any vote regarding same.

Art. 9. To see whether the Town will vote to expend a sum of money sufficient for the re-building of Cordaville Road, from Turnpike Road to Cordaville Station, and raise and appropriate money for same, or do or act thereon.

Art. 10. To see whether the Town will vote to install lights on Cordaville Road from Main Street to Woodland Road, or take any action regarding street lights.

Art. 11. To see whether the Town will vote to accept a contribution of \$1750. from the Fay School for the current year in lieu of regular taxes from which the School is now legally exempt, or do or act thereon.

Art. 12. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$285. to install a Beacon light in Southborough Village, at the corner of Main and Newton Streets, or do or act thereon.

Art. 13. To see whether the Town will expend a sum of money to increase the water supply in South Union School, and to raise and appropriate money for same, or do or act thereon.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize

the Selectmen to appoint a Committee to report at the next Annual Town Meeting as to whether the Town should establish a Town forest, or do or act thereon.

Art. 15. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$41.30 to pay for repairing the house damaged by a fallen tree, and belonging to James McMahon, on Southville Road, or do or act thereon.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to repair sidewalks on Oak Hill, in Cordaville and in Southville and raise and appropriate money therefor, or pass any vote respecting same.

Art. 17. To see whether the Town will vote to build a sidewalk from the Catholic Church to Stone's corner, and raise and appropriate money for same, or do or act thereon.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen on the widening of Newton Street, near its junction with Main Street, and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or do or act thereon.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the purchase or acquisition of land for highway purposes, and for the grading thereof, or take any action relative thereto.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the majority of the Selectmen, to borrow money for any of the appropriations named in this Warrant.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed two hundred dollars, for repairs on Woodbury Road.

Art. 22. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of providing power for operation of the stone-crusher now the property of the Town, or do or act thereon.

Art. 23. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars for fire-fighting equipment needed by the Forest Warden, or do or act thereon.

Art. 24. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for repairs on the Library building, or do or act thereon.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars to continue the work of placing metal junction and street signs on the highways, beginning in the centre of Fayetteville, Cordaville and Southville.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of twenty-five hundred dollars, or any part thereof to be used to place the heating and sanitary facilities of the Peters' High School in proper condition, or do or act thereon.

Art. 27. To see if the Town will take any action in regard to salaries of Town Officers, or do or act thereon.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will take any action to provide a building for storing highway machinery or other Town property, or do or act thereon.

Article 29. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to cover the expenses incurred in February and March, 1923, by the Special Committee in making and distributing their report on Fire Department and Water Supply matters.

And you are to give notice hereof, by posting up true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, South Union School, Depots, Post Offices and three other Public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meetings.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the respective precinct wardens on or before or at the time and place of said meetings aforesaid and to the Town Clerk, as soon as may be before said subsequent meeting.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS this sixth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

RAYMOND H. OVESON,
FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
JOSEPH B. CHOATE,
Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy.

Attest:

Constable of Southborough

February , 1924

FIFTIETH
ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Town Officers
OF
Southborough, Massachusetts
For the Year Ending December 31
1923



SOUTHBOROUGH PRINT SHOP
SOUTHBOROUGH, MASSACHUSETTS

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT For 1923

To the Chairman and Members of the Honorable Board
of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I submit, herewith, the annual report of the financial accounts of the Town, covering the twelve months, or fiscal year, ending December 31, 1923.

The accounts of the Treasurer, Tax Collectors, Cemetery Commissioners, have been checked and are correct.

With the exception of one bill of the Highway Department, amounting to \$86.41, for which I have reserved a balance from the 1923 appropriation to pay same, there have been no other unpaid bills for 1923 sent in.

Unexpended balances of \$5500.00 were returned to the treasury and it was only necessary this year to make transfers from the reserve appropriation to the extent of about \$1250.00, which would seem to indicate that the department heads are making their estimates carefully, expending their appropriations carefully or systematically, and keeping within the limits set by the town when granting the amounts covered by the several appropriations.

Inasmuch as the fact that appropriations as made, include the payment of insurance premiums when due, under the several accounts, has been the cause of some departments over expending their appropriations, it would seem that it might be advisable to appropriate a lump sum for all insurance due each year, to be expended under the direction of your board and this I would recommend.

The accounting department is ready at all times during the year to give full information relative to the finances of any of the departments and appropriations, in order to assist in the careful expenditure of the town funds.

Respectfully submitted

CHARLES E. BAGLEY,

Town Accountant

RECEIPTS, 1923

TAXES

Taxes of 1923:			
Poll	\$2,469.50		
Personal	16,136.22		
Real Estate	44,580.48	63,186.20	

Taxes of 1922:			
Poll	144.00		
Personal	371.40		
Real Estate	6,647.89	7,163.29	

Previous Years' Taxes:			
Poll	20.00		
Personal	126.92		
Real Estate	608.96	755.88	71,105.37

Tax Titles:			
From Redemption			62.40

FROM STATE

For	
Metro. W. & S. Bd.	2,284.94
Bank Tax, 1923	1,472.21

Corporation Taxes	6,505.00	
Street R. R. Tax	31.31	
Income Tax, 1923	4,889.97	
Income Tax, Sch. F'd	2,293.40	
Income Tax, other y'rs	449.25	
Corp'n Tax, other y'rs	209.29	
Civilian War Poll		
Tax, returned	15.00	18,150.37
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LICENSES

Receipts for:

Junk	15.00	
Garage	20.00	
Hawker's	6.00	41.00
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FINES

Court		10.00
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GRANTS AND GIFTS

From State for:

Union Supt. Aid	736.79	
Vocational Education	366.07	
High School Tuition	1,006.50	2,109.36
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From County for

Dog Licenses		489.10
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From Other Sources:

St. Mark's School	1,500.00	
Fay School	1,750.00	3,250.00

PRIVILEGES

Public Service for:	
Franchise	365.00

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

From State for:	
State High'y moth work	72.52
Moth Expense, reimb'ts	200.45
	272.97

From Moth assessments:	
1923	102.32
1922	22.00
1921	8.26
	132.58

From Private Spraying:	
1923	324.50
1922	39.66
	364.16
	769.71

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

From Town Hall, for:	
Rent	510.85

PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

From Sealer of W. & M., for:	
Fees	25.34
From Forest Fires:	
Railroads, reimb.	23.10
From Forestry Dept., for:	
Sale of lead	45.12
	93.56

CHARITIES

No reimbursements received.

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

From State, for:

State Aid, paid 1922	295.00	
Military Aid, paid 1922	13.50	
Soldiers' Exemptions	38.46	
		346.96

EDUCATION

From State, for:

Tuition of Children	202.95	
Training Schools, reimb.	117.00	319.95

From Town of Hopkinton, for:

Tuition of Children	350.00	
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From School Department, for:

Sale of Material	189.75	
Rent—Manual Training	150.00	
Rent—South Union	12.00	
	351.75	1,021.70

LIBRARIES

From Librarian, for:

Fines		39.95
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UNCLASSIFIED

From Fayville Hall, for:		
Rent		71.00

CEMETERIES

From Cemtery Commissioners, for:		
Care of lots and graves	553.00	
Burials	200.00	753.00

From Trust Fund Lots:		
Charges, for care	592.62	
Sale of Lots and Graves, for:		
Rural Cem. Comm. Fund	120.00	1,465.62

INTEREST

Receipts from		
General balances	412.05	
1923 Taxes	71.15	
1922 Taxes	228.20	
1921 Taxes	84.25	
1920 Taxes	4.49	910.14

Trust Funds:		
Perpetual care deposits	573.38	
Willson Charity Fund	60.00	
Fay Library Fund	64.68	
Rural Cem. Comm. Res.	19.14	717.20
		1,627.34

Total of Revenue receipts—forwarded	101,529.29.
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NON REVENUE RECEIPTS FOR 1923

Temporary Loans:	
In anticip'on of taxes 35,000.00	35,000.00

AGENCY

State Tax
County Tax

These are included in General Tax totals.

TRUST

Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds:	
Deposits received	500.00

REFUNDS

From:	
Town Hall over pay'ts	5.75
Tree Warden, over p'm'ts	.50
Forest Fires, over pay'ts	.45
Highways, over paym'ts	35.20
Schools, over payments	2.90
Libraries, over pay'ents	1.90
	46.70

TRANSFERS

Departmental:	
Town Hall, from:	
Town Hall Repairs	300.00
Fire Dept. Maint., from:	
Forest Fires	2.41

New Equipment, from			
Fire Dept. Maintain.	447.12		
Street Oil, from:			
Highways	789.86		
Schools, from:			
Manual training	120.00	1,659.39	
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From Reserve:			
Law	11.88		
Town Clerk	33.63		
Election and Registra'n	43.33		
Town Hall	132.72		
Fire Dept.	117.29		
Forest Fires	255.34		
Fire—Equipment	119.55		
Tree Warden and Moth	24.67		
Health	5.00		
Fayville Hall	106.30		
Liability Ins.	6.28		
Unpaid 1922 Acct.	.39		
Southville Pump	12.00		
Cemeteries	119.39		
Interest on Debt	261.54	1,249.31	2,908.70
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BALANCES

January 1, 1923:	
General Cash	29,815.33
Fay Library Fund, cash	71.98
Willson Charity Funds, cash	182.33

Rural Cem. Comm. Res. Fund, cash	949.85	31,019.49
Total of all Non Revenue receipts and balances		<hr/> \$69,474.89
Total of Revenue receipts, brought for- ward		101,529.29
Total of all receipts and balances for 1923		<hr/> \$171,004.18

PAYMENTS FOR 1923

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Advisory Committee:		
Printing 700 reports	69.50	
Postage	7.00	
Clerical hire	2.50	
Other expense	2.00	81.00

Selectmen's Dept.:		
Salaries and wages		
Selectmen	300.00	
Clerk	50.00	
Other expense		
Telephone	6.00	
Auto hire	1.50	
Postage and sta.	8.73	366.23

Accounting Dept.:		
Salaries and wages		
Accountant		200.00
Other Expense		
Postage		8.50
Printing and sta.		8.73
		217.23

Treasurer's Dept.:

Salaries and wages

Treasurer	200.00	
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Other expense

Bonding	40.00	
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Postage and sta.	75.58	
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All other expense	13.25	328.83
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Collector's Dept.:

Salaries and wages

Collector	300.00	
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Other expense

Bonding	100.00	
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Printing, postage, sta.	88.77	478.77
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Assessors' Dept.:

Salaries and wages

Assessors	577.50	
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Other expense

Voting lists	85.00	
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Abstracts	23.16	
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Other expense	47.78	726.44
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Other Finance

Cert. of Notes		8.00
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Law Dept.:

Salaries and wages

Town Counsel	806.95	
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Other expense

Court expense	25.78	
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Claims	28.00	
All other expense	1.15	861.88

Town Clerk's Dept.:

Salaries and wages		
Town Clerk	250.00	
Other expense		
Printing and sta.	15.38	
Postage	9.50	
Recording fees		
Death returns	7.00	
Births and Marriages	70.50	
All Other Expense		
Death returns	4.25	356.63

Election and Reg. Dept.:

Salaries and wages		
Registrars of Voters	80.00	
Election officers	116.50	
Other expense		
Printing and sta.	52.08	
Meals	16.75	
Auto hire	5.00	270.33

Town Hall:

Salaries and wages	
Caretaker	629.20

Other expense

Fuel	308.65
Lights	52.16

Building and Grounds

Repairs	206.82
Electrical fixtures	80.00
Piano Tuning	6.00
Removal of ashes	20.00
Insurance	135.64
	1,438.47

Total of all payments for General Govern't \$5,133.81

PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Police Dept.:

Salaries and wages

Constables	91.56
Special Officer	1,000.00

Other expense

Equipment, Spe. Of'r	108.36
Repairs to room	59.34
Other supplies	30.75
Auto hire	24.25
Court expense	5.75
All other expense	1.70
	1,321.71

Fire Dept.:

Salaries and wages

Chief	100.00
Janitors	300.00
Firemen	852.37
Special Services	3.60
	1,255.97

Other expense

Fuel	150.12	
Light	31.39	
Supplies	251.48	
Repairs to Dodge	64.14	
Repairs to Ford	131.64	
Pump—casings	57.68	
Painting	16.50	
Brass sleeves	18.00	
Other repairs	153.62	
Building repairs	39.19	
Lumber	67.19	
Southville floor	80.00	
Labor and other rep.	191.19	
Other supplies	19.37	
Rent of Land R. R. Co.	5.00	
Food	15.71	
Printing	3.75	
Exp. and Freight chgs.	13.72	1,309.69

New Equipment:

Hook & ladder tr.	1,000.00
Repairs to Ford truck	99.95
Play pipes	56.00
Extra tips	5.00
Siamese connection	30.00
Siren horn and switch	390.00
2 Ford D.T. S. tr'ks	3,800.00
Howe Fire Engine	2,500.00
Painting, equip.	36.80

Repairs to building	243.45		
All other expense	84.93	8,246.13	
Cistern			
Cement	13.50		
Gravel	10.20		
Team hire	21.00		
Labor	575.82		
Rental of gas pump	84.00		
Pipe and elbow	79.20	783.42	
Forest Fires			
Payrolls	209.61		
Brooms	45.73	255.34	11,850.55
Sealer of Weights and Meas.:			
Salaries and wages			
Sealer	75.00		
Other expense			
Travel	25.00		
Equipment	18.38		
Rent	75.00		
All other	2.97	196.35	
Forestry Dept.:			
Salaries and wages			
Tree Warden	25.00		
Labor—Payrolls	1,990.86		
Team—Payrolls	125.00		

Other expense		
Supplies and equip.	28.70	2,169.56

Gypsy and B. T. Moth		
Labor—payrolls	1,292.79	
Equip. and sup.	31.27	
Repairs	11.50	
All other exp.	20.05	1,355.61

Total of payments for Prot. of Prop'y \$16,893.78

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Board of Health:		
Salaries and wages		
Board of Health	75.00	
Other expense		
State Infirmary	430.00	505.00

Inspection		
Animals	100.00	100.00

Total of Payments for Health and Sanitation 605.00

HIGHWAYS

Administration:	
Salaries and wages	
Surveyor, \$5 per day	855.00
Other expense	

Use of Auto, \$1 day	133.00	988.00
General Repairs		
Labor—payrolls	4,128.62	
Teams—payrolls	1,906.77	
Gravel	532.81	
Oil and compounds	961.55	
Equip. and repairs	300.36	
Other expense	65.72	
Bridges		
Lumber, cement	111.61	
Street signs	3.25	
All other expense		
General supplies	296.55	8,307.24
Marlboro Road Rep.		
Labor	2,064.60	
Teams	924.01	
Steam Roller		
rent for 6 weeks	420.00	
Engineer	203.00	
Parts for roller	78.64	
Oil	805.60	
Stone and gravel	192.80	
All other expense	32.50	4,721.15
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Snow and Ice Removal:		
Salaries and wages		
Labor	1,283.41	
Other expense		
Team hire	961.50	

Supplies	12.96	2,257.87
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Street Lighting		
Street Lights		5,575.36
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Street Oiling		
Application of		
20,268 g. @ .082	1,661.98	
10,104 gls. @ .095	959.88	
1,200 gls. @ .14	168.00	2,789.86
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New Tractor		
Tractor		1,800.00
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Total of all Highway payments		\$26,439.48

CHARITIES

Poor Department:		
Administration		
Overseers of Poor	200.00	
Other expense		
Board and care	758.24	
Medical care	9.00	
Mothers' Aid	658.00	
Outside Relief—		
by other towns	159.10	
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Total for Charities		1,784.34

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

State Aid		
Cash paid	176.00	
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Total for Soldiers' Benefits payments		176.00

EDUCATION

School Dept.:		
Administration		
Salaries		
School Committee	300.00	
Superintendent	1,200.00	
Other expense		
Expense—Supt.	120.64	
Printing and sta.	31.21	
Freight—Express	21.64	1,673.49
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Teachers		
Salaries		
High School	7,241.75	
Elementary	10,898.44	
Music	350.00	
Drawing	142.04	
Domestic Science	700.00	
Manual Training	480.00	
Pupil Teachers	26.46	19,838.69
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Books		
High School	337.81	
Elementary	397.60	735.41

Supplies

High School	263.46	
Elementary	288.47	
Manual Train'g	220.20	
Domestic Science	69.97	842.10

Tuition

Trade Schools		338.87
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Transportation

Automobiles	2,691.00	
Electrics	1,102.50	3,793.50

Janitors' Services

High School	1,149.96	
Elementary	1,398.65	2,548.61

Fuel and Light

Fuel	1,776.22	
Light	58.18	1,834.40

Building and Grounds

High School		
Repairs	422.10	
Janitor's Sup.	97.59	
Cesspools	64.00	
Other expense	12.60	596.29

Elementary

Repairs	48.96	
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Janitor's sup.	88.11	
Other expense	1.00	138.07
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Furniture and Furnishings		
New Equipment		
High School	290.50	
Graduations		
Diplomas	24.00	
Ribbons	1.81	
Lettering	19.00	
Printing	15.00	
Other expense	4.50	64.31
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Health		
Inspections		
Medical	100.00	
Dental	50.00	
School Nurse		
Salary	360.00	
Supplies	4.47	714.47
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All other expense		
Insurance	70.41	
School Census	50.00	
Attendance officer	17.85	
Other printing	22.26	160.22
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Total Expenditure for Education		\$33,568.93

LIBRARY

Salaries and wages

Librarian	435.40	
Assistants	81.80	
Janitors	344.50	861.70

Books and Periodicals

Books	145.41	
Periodicals	146.20	291.61

Transportation

Books		51.00
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Fuel and Light

Fuel	306.70	
Light	46.71	353.41

Buildings and Grounds

Repairs	154.60	
Equipment	11.00	
Janitor's supplies	16.95	182.55

Other expense

Printing and sta.	36.10	
Express charges	2.61	
Removal of ashes	19.00	
Labor on fuel	3.40	61.11

Total of payments for Libraries

1,801.38

UNCLASSIFIED

Fayville Hall:		
Salaries and wages		
Janitors	133.75	
Other expense		
Fuel	107.33	
Lights	44.76	
Insurance	161.60	
Snow removal	6.02	
Other expenses	2.84	456.30
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Memorial Day		
Paid Q. M. of G. A. R.	100.00	
Documents		
Distribution and printing reports	334.70	
Play Grounds		
Rental paid—2 years	80.00	
Liability Insurance		
Premiums paid	356.28	
P. J. O'Rielly Award		
Award paid	200.00	
Purchase Land at Fayville		
Cash paid	200.00	
Southville Pump		
Pump	12.00	
Unpaid 1922 Bills		
Collector	50.00	
Election and Reg.	97.95	

Police	216.55	
Poor Dept.	456.67	
Fire Dept.	115.88	
Highways	427.30	1,364.35
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Total of payments for Unclassified		3,103.63

RECREATION

Parks and Play Grounds

Common and T. H. Gds.

Salaries and Wages

Caretaker 208.00

Other expense

Equipment 22.45

Supplies .45

Repairs to flag 1.50

Repairs to pump 6.25

Total for Recreation	238.65
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CEMETERIES

Administration:

Salaries and wages

Commissioners 50.00

Superintendent 200.00

Other expense

Postage and sta. 11.00

Labor 1,697.50

Loam 42.50

Equipment 15.00

Supplies	14.79	
Fertilizer and seed	88.60	2,119.39

Trust Funds Lots

For charges for care	592.62	
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Total of payments for Cemeteries	2,712.01
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INTEREST

Interest paid on:

Loans

Ant. of Rev.	666.06
Marlboro Road	200.00
Stone Crusher	77.00
Fire Engine	180.00

Total of payments for interest	1,123.06
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Payments from income on

Willson Charity Fund	50.00	
Fay Library Fund	120.23	
Rural Cemetery Comm. Fund	21.75	191.98

Total of all Revenue payments, forwarded	93,772.05
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MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Non-Revenue Accounts:

Indebtedness

Loans paid

Revenue	35,000.00	
Stone Crusher	1,000.00	
Marlboro Road	2,500.00	
Fire Engine	1,000.00	39,500.00

AGENCY AND TRUST

Agency:

For collections and payments of

State Tax	6,600.00	
County Tax	4,000.00	
Civ. War Poll T.	1,881.00	
State High'ay Tax	738.20	13,219.20

Trust:

Perpetual Care Funds

Deposits Invested		500.00
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REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

Refunds:

On Taxes

To St. Mark's School	887.15	
To State, on Corp. T.	255.49	1,142.64

Transfers:

Departmental

Town Hall repairs		
To Town Hall	300.00	

Fire Dept. Maint.,		
Forest fires	2.41	
Fire Dept. Maint.,		
to new equip.	447.12	
Highways, to		
Street Oiling	789.86	
Manual Training, to		
Schools	120.00	1,659.39

Reserve to:

Law	11.88		
Town Clerk	33.63		
Election and Reg'n	43.33		
Town Hall	132.72		
Fire Dept.	117.29		
Forest Fires	255.34		
Fire Equipment	119.55		
Tree Warden and M.	24.67		
Health	5.00		
Fayville Hall	106.30		
Liability Ins.	6.28		
Unpaid 1922 accounts	.39		
Southville Pump	12.00		
Cemeteries	119.39		
Interest on Debt	261.54	1,249.31	2,908.70

BALANCES

On December 31, 1923 (at close of books)

General Cash 18,685.59

Willson Charity Fund, cash	192.33	
Fay Library Fund, cash	16.43	
Rural Cemetery Comms. Fund, cash	1,067.24	19,961.59
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Total of all Non-revenue account payments and balances for 1923		77,232.13
Total of Revenue payments for 1923— brought forward		93,772.05
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Total of all payments and balances for 1923		171,004.18

TRIAL BALANCES, JANUARY 1, 1924

General Cash	18,685.59	
Willson Charity Fund, cash	192.33	
Fay Library Fund, cash	16.43	
Rural Cemetery Comm. Fund	1,067.24	
Comm. of Mass. State Aid	176.00	
Cemetery Accounts Rec.	138.50	
S. H. Howes, Col. 1922 Taxes	519.73	
S. H. Howes, Col. 1923 Taxes	7,752.66	
S. H. Howes, Col. 1922 Moth	5.30	
S. H. Howes, Col. 1922 Spray.	21.67	
S. H. Howes, Col. 1923 Moth	15.24	
Overlay Reserve Fund		1,298.27
Overlay 1922 Taxes		168.55
Overlay 1923 Taxes		307.01
Fay School Gift		1,750.00
Highways, bal.		86.41
Willson Fund Income		192.33
Fay Fund Income		16.43
Interest on Cemetery Trust Funds	382.65	
Rural Cem. Comm. Fund		1,067.24
Excess and Deficiency		23,321.80
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	28,590.69	28,590.69

TOWN OF SOUTHBOROUGH, BALANCE SHEET, JANUARY 1, 1924

REVENUE

ASSET ACCOUNTS			LIABILITY ACCOUNTS		
Cash in banks:			Overlay Accounts:		
General Balance	\$18,685.59		Overlay Reserve F'd	\$1,298.27	
Fay Fund cash	16.43		1922 Overlay	168.55	
Willson Fund cash	192.33		1923 Overlay	307.01	\$1,773.83
Rural Cemetery Res.	1,067.24	\$19,961.59			
			Gifts		
Accounts receivable			From Fay School	1,750.00	
1922 Taxes	519.73		Highways		
1922 Moth	5.30		Balance on hand	86.41	
1922 Spraying	21.67		Cemetery Trust Funds		
1923 Taxes	7,752.66		Interest	382.65	
1923 Moth	15.24	8,314.60	Balances		
			Fay Fund, Income	16.43	
Amount due from State for			Willson Fund, Income	192.33	
State Aid, 1923		176.00	Rural Cemetery Res.	1,067.24	1,276.00
Accounts Receivable					
Cemetery Dept.		138.50	Surplus of Revenue		
			Excess and Deficiency	23,321.80	
		<u>\$28,590.69</u>			<u>\$28,590.69</u>

DEBT STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1924

LOANS	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1923	Borrowed Jan. 1, 1923	Paid 1923	Outstanding Jan 1, 1924	Due 1924	Interest Due 1924
Revenue Loans		\$35,000	\$35,000			
Fire Engine Loan	\$3,000		1,000	\$2,000	\$1,000	Jan. 1-July 1
Crusher—Tractor	1,900		1,000	900	900	Jan. 1-July 1
Marlboro Road	5,000		2,500	2,500	2,500	Apr. 1-Oct. 1
	\$9,900	\$35,000	\$39,500	\$5,400	\$4,400	

INDEBTEDNESS

Net Bonded Debt	\$5,400.00	Town Debt	
		Fire Engine Loan	\$2,000.00
		Crusher—Tractor	900.00
		Marlboro Road	2,500.00
	<u>\$5,400.00</u>		<u>\$5,400.00</u>

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TRUST FUNDS

Trust Funds:		Cemetery Trust Funds	\$11,925.00
Cash and Securities	\$14,425.00	Fay Library Fund	1,500.00
		Willson Charity Fund	1,000.00
	<u>\$14,425.00</u>		<u>\$14,425.00</u>

STATEMENT OF INSURANCE ON TOWN
PROPERTY

Property	Policies
Town Hall	\$19,200.00
Southboro Fire Dept.	4,500.00
Southville Fire Dept.	850.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	800.00
High School	32,250.00
South Union School	19,625.00
Fayville School	2,500.00
Fayville Hall	8,600.00
Horse Sheds	1,500.00
Bath House	500.00
Spraying Machine	150.00

See detail following:

DETAIL OF INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

NAME OF COMPANY	POLICY NO.	PROPERTY INSURED	AMOUNT	PREMIUM	EXPIRES
Boston	2,290,000	High School	2,500	58.75	Jan. 20, '24
Penn.	1,033,603	High School	7,500	176.25	Jan. 30, '24
State of Penn.	5,028	High School	5,000	117.50	Feb. 1, '24
Girard	1,434,343	High School	5,000	117.50	Feb. 1, '24
Firemen's Fund	B1,307,603	High School	3,250	55.31	Feb. 1, '24
Girard	1,434,342	High School	2,250	52.88	Feb. 1, '24
No. America	960,880	Town Hall	2,000	43.00	Feb. 16, '24
Firemen's Fund	B1,307,604	Town Hall	2,000	50.60	Mar. 1, '24
Continental	2,307	Sealer W. & M.	800	38.96	May 1, '24
Firemen's Fund	1,401,587	Bath House	500	10.00	July 1, '24
New Hampshire	156,154	Fayville Hall	1,000	27.50	Jan. 1, '25
Boston	6,751	Southville Fire			Jan. 17, '25
Boston	6,752	Southboro Fire	3,000	25.50	Jan. 17, '25
Firemen's Fund	B1,408,040	So. Union School	10,000	167.50	Jan. 2, '25
Hartford	21,065	Town Hall	3,000	64.50	Feb. 17, '25
Aetna	2,695	Town Hall	2,000	43.00	Mar. 1, '25
Boston	2,290,017	Town Hall	3,000	75.90	Mar. 1, '25
Springfield	3,145	Town Hall	2,000	43.00	Mar. 10, '25
Travellers'	MB2,989,588	Liability Insurance		340.58	Apr. 8, '23
Sun	A292,924	High School	5,000	117.50	April 10, '25
Aetna	2,704	Horse Sheds	1,500	23.55	Apr. 21, '25
No. British	28,505	Fire Engine House	1,500	31.80	May 11, '25

DETAIL OF INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

Boston	2,290,019	High School	1,750	49.88	May	25, '25
Boston	2,290,020	Fayville School	2,500	58.75	May	28, '25
Firemen's Fund	1,566,266	Fayville Hall	5,400	161.60	Apr.	23, '26
Royal	734,051	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May	22, '26
The Home	4,198	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May	22, '26
No. America	430,733	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May	22, '26
Hartford	2,957	Town Hall	2,600	67.82	Nov.	14, '26
No. British	76,054	Town Hall	2,600	67.82	Nov.	14, '26
Girard	715,001	Fayville Hall	2,200	105.68	Apr.	29, '27
State of Penn.	5,045	So. Union School	2,750	75.10	May	23, '27
Girard	715,003	So. Union School	2,750	75.10	May	23, '27
Boston	2,290,050	Southville Eng. House	850	36.04	Jan.	17, '29
Penn.	1,033,618	High School	7,500	282.00	Jan.	30, '29
Boston	6,753	High School	2,500	94.00	Jan.	30, '29

SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen (3)	\$300.00
Selectmen's Clerk	50.00
Accountant	200.00
Treasurer	200.00
Collector	300.00
Assessors (\$3.50 per day)	
Town Clerk	250.00
Registrar of Voters	80.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures (including \$25.00 for expense)	100.00
Tree Warden	25.00
Board of Health (3).	75.00
Highway Surveyor (\$5.00 per day) (For not more than 200 working days)	
Poor Department (3)	200.00
School Committee (3)	300.00
Cemetery Commissioners (3)	50.00
Inspector of Animals	100.00
	\$2,230.00

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

In accordance with the vote of the Town the Selectmen have sold the Fordson Tractor and unused fire equipment for the net sum of \$94.75. We appointed a night watchman as directed at a salary of \$150 per month. We have granted pole locations for the additional lights voted by the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS D. NEWTON
RAYMOND H. OVESON
JOSEPH B. CHOATE

TOWN OFFICERS, 1923

TOWN CLERK

Charles L. Fairbanks

TREASURER

Thomas E. Waldron

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Seth H. Howes

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Charles E. Bagley

SELECTMEN

Francis D. Newton	Term expires March, 1924
Joseph B. Choate	Term expires March, 1925
Raymond H. Oveson	Term expires March, 1926

ASSESSORS

George F. Field	Term expires March, 1924
Francis McNeil	Term expires March, 1925
Edward F. Collins	Term expires March, 1926

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Daniel F. Harrington	Term expires March, 1924
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Albert Beaton	Term expires March, 1925
Paul S. Lincoln	Term expires March, 1926

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Frederick C. Staples	Term expires March, 1924
Samuel Clark	Term expires March, 1925
Charles H. Newton	Term expires March, 1926

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Patrick M. Salmon	Term expires March, 1924
Francis D. Newton	Term expires March, 1925
Adelbert E. Collins	Term expires March, 1926

BOARD OF HEALTH

John L. Bacon	Term expires March, 1924
Thomas P. Lindsay	Term expires March, 1925
Carl R. Lindstrom	Term expires March, 1926

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

William A. Gould

TREE WARDEN

Harry Burnett

TOWN HOUSE COMMITTEE

William Duncan	Albert E. Hutt
Joseph Ould	

CONSTABLES

Charles C. Hildreth	Daniel F. Kelley
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Francis D. Newton

Thomas P. Thompson

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY

Charles L. Fairbanks	Term expires March, 1924
Thomas P. Lindsay	Term expires March, 1924
James P. Curran	Term expires March, 1925
Paul S. Lincoln	Term expires March, 1925
John J. Lockett	Term expires March, 1926
Catherine S. Oveson	Term expires March, 1926

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

John H. McClosky	Term expires March, 1924
Augustus E. Wright (resigned)	Term expires March, 1924
Edgar M. Smith	Term expires March, 1925
Harry B. Spurr	Term expires March, 1925
George H. Burnett	Term expires March, 1926
Charles F. Choate, III.	Term expires March, 1926

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK

D. Clinton Nichols	Nathan F. Wadsworth
Paul S. Lincoln	William T. Aiken

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER

D. Clinton Nichols	Paul S. Lincoln
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PUBLIC WEIGHERS

D. Clinton Nichols	John Sealey
Mary E. Fitzgerald	

FIELD DRIVERS

Hugh J. McDonald
James Giffin

James A. Harris
Donald R. Hunt

POUND KEEPER

Thomas Hayden

FENCE VIEWERS

John D. C. Bradley.

Charles F. Leland

Thomas P. Lindsay

Raymond H. Oveson

WEIGHERS OF COAL

D. Clinton Nichols

Edward C. Nichols

John Sealey

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Charles L. Fairbanks

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

William H. Onthank

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Eugene Closson

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Charles L. Fairbanks

Mary E. Maley

Thomas F. O'Donnell

Herbert W. Schnare

LIST OF JURORS, 1924

As prepared by the Selectmen of Southborough in accordance, with Chapter 234
of the General Laws.

Bradley, John D. C.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Sears Rd.
Burnett, George H.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Deerfoot Rd.
Choate, Joseph B.	Broker	Southboro	Main St.
Draper, Allen H.	Carpenter	Fayville	Winter St.
Eaton, Harris D.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Rd.
Green, Walter	Farmer	Southboro	Woodland Rd.
Ladd, Harry L.	Overseer	Cordaville	Cottage St.
Lindsay, Thomas P.	Farmer	Southboro	Main St.
Ould, Joseph T.	Gardener	Southboro	Main St.
Smith, Erwin E.	Electrician	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.
Spurr, Harry B.	Farmer	Marlboro	Northboro R.
Staples, Frederick C.	Teacher	Southboro	Cordaville Rd.
Stivers, Harold W.	Salesman	Southboro	Sears Rd.
Stivers, Warren W.	Clerk	Southboro	Main St.
Toombs, Amos J.	Chauffeur	Southboro	Cordaville Rd.
Uhlman, Douglas	Farmer	Fayville	Central St.

Wadsworth, Nathan F. Merchant
Wells, Edward C. Farmer
Wells, Fred H. Clerk
Wrye, Wallace M. Painter
Young, Harry W. Merchant

Fayville
Southboro
Fayville
Fayville
Southboro

Turnpike Rd.
Flagg Rd.
Central St.
Turnpike Rd.
Latisquama Rd.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 12, 1923

The following votes were passed under the various articles:

Article 1. Chose Seth H. Howes as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted to accept the reports of the various Town Officers as printed.

Voted that the Assessors look into the legality of assessing the Saint Mark's School, for property held by them in excess of their capitalization.

Article 3. Voted to raise the sum of \$102,943.71, and the same be assessed upon the estates within the town, to pay town debts and charges, and that the same be appropriated as follows: (see list of appropriations in the Town Accountant's report).

Article 4. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1923, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 5. Voted that the Dog money be divided equally between the Library and the Schools.

Article 6. Voted to appropriate. (See list of appropriations).

Article 7. Voted to appropriate. (See list of appropriations).

Article 8. Voted to appropriate. (See list of appropriations).

Article 9. Voted to appropriate \$250 for repairs on Parkerville Road, between the Turnpike and the Boston & Worcester Street Railway.

Article 10. Voted to appropriate \$1,800 for the purchase of a Tractor with Snow Plow and attachments.

Article 11. Voted to give the old Tractor to Francis D. Newton.

Article 12. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 13. Voted to install six electric lights on Oregon Road, one light on Mt. Vickery Road and four lights on Marlborough Road, between Acre Bridge Road and the Marlborough City line.

Article 14. Voted to appropriate \$200 for the purchase of land in Fayville, now owned by the George Wesley Nichols Building Association, the land to be used as a public park.

Article 15. No action was taken under this Article, but in making the appropriations, \$2,000 was appropriated for the police department.

Article 16. Voted that the Town accept the deed from the City of Boston of a portion of a road in the town of Southborough, being an extension of Pine Hill Road.

Article 17. Voted to appropriate \$8,910 for new

Fire equipment to consist of a new Fire Engine for Southborough Center, one Ford Fire Truck for Fayville and one Ford Fire Truck for Southville, a new Ladder Truck, a Siren Fire Alarm, and a Cistern to be located near the Drug Store, in Southborough Center, and other needed equipment.

Article 18. Voted to appropriate. (See list of appropriations).

Article 19. No action was taken under this Article.

Article 20. No action was taken under this Article.

Article 21. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money for any appropriations made under this warrant.

Article 22. Voted to name the square at the intersection of Main Street, East Street, Boston Road and Newton Street, the Leo E. Bagley Square, and erect a suitable sign.

Article 23. Voted to name the square at the intersection of Main Street, Common Street and Common, the James W. Burke Square, and erect a suitable sign.

Article 24. Voted that the Moderator appoint a Committee of three to consider the advisability and estimate the expense, and propose a location for a Memorial to the World's War Veterans, and report at the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 25. Voted to confirm the action of the Town at its last Annual Meeting, whereby it instructed the Selectmen to pay Patrick J. O'Rielley two hundred dollars for land taken in 1909 for the widening of Boston Road, and that Mr. O'Rielley be paid as soon as the bill covering the case which is now before the State Legislature, is passed.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, APRIL 18, 1923

Article 1. Elected Raymond H. Oveson as Moderator.

Article 2. No action was taken under this Article.

Article 3. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell the old Fire Apparatus and Equipment not needed for the Fire Department.

Article 4. Voted to authorize the Fire Department to widen the front doors and to build an addition on the fire engine house at Southborough Center, without cost to the Town.

Article 5. Voted that the Town accept the contribution of \$1,500 from the Saint Mark's School.

Article 6. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell the Fordson Tractor at the best possible price.

BIRTHS

- Jan. 21. Woodward, Richard Gilman
Son of Albert Sewell and Alice Lee (Morrill) Woodward
- Jan. 23. Staples, Frederick Clifton, Jr.
Son of Frederick Clifton and Elizabeth (Flanders) Staples
- Jan. 25. Giffin, Robert
Son of James Elliott and Catherine Josephine (McDonald) Giffin
- Feb. 14. Minnucci, Alfred
Son of Dominic and Mary (D'Angelo) Minnucci
- Mar. 15. Noberini, Rita Ann
Daughter of Louis and Mena (Trioli) Noberini
- Mar. 26. Blake, Eleanor
Daughter of Joseph F. and Bessie (Schumann) Blake
- Apr. 2. Fernald, Alice Virginia
Daughter of Walter A. and Elsie A. (Hunt) Fernald
- Apr. 11. Bradlee, Constance
Daughter of Frederick J. and Josephine (De Gersdorff) Bradlee

- May 8. Sullivan, Eleanor
Daughter of William F. and Agnes R. (Telfer) Sullivan
- May 17. Mitchell, Robert Henry
Son of Henry and Andrée (Martin) Mitchell
- May 19. Cocker, Donald John
Son of John and Rose (Mitchell) Cocker
- June 4. Cecolini, Enrico
Son of Enrico and Augusta (Pedinotti) Cecolini
- June 8. Burnett, Nancy Lee
Daughter of Harry and Anne H. (Taylor) Burnett
- June 13. Brock, Esther
Daughter of Patrick J. and Eunice (Doolittle) Brock
- June 19. Lincoln, Priscilla Rose
Daughter of Howard R. and Alice (Voter) Lincoln
- June 25. Genga, Leo
Son of Ercole and Elizabeth Della (Costaiaza) Genga
- June 26. Tobin, John James
Son of John J. and Catherine (Burke) Tobin
- July 2. Morrissini, George
Son of Antonio and Bertha (Giombetti) Morrissini

- July 2. Brusi, Louise
Daughter of Charlie and Caroline (Berton-
assi) Brusi
- July 22. Baldelli, Gloria Rose
Daughter of Elio and Rose (Labossiere)
Baldelli
- July 24. Falcioni, Alfred
Son of Eugenio and Amelia (Ricci) Falcioni
- July 26. Hunt, Donald Roy, Jr.
Son of Donald R. and Ellen (Thompson)
Hunt
- July 30. Clark, ———
Daughter of Harry J. and Alice A. (Royce)
Clark
- Aug. 13. Bertonazzi, Angelo Charles
Son of Louis and Louisa (Castanetti) Ber-
tonazzi
- Aug. 27. Brinley (Stillborn)
Daughter of Godfrey and Marion B. (Fay)
Brinley
- Sept. 3. Prosperi, Angie
Daughter of Louis and Louise (Margi)
Prosperi
- Sept. 20. Gasparoni, Julio
Son of Euncto and Cesira (Livi) Gasparoni
- Sept. 24. Gebhart, Mary Victoria
Daughter of George and Mary M. (Dubois)
Gebhart

- Nov. 11. Andrews, Richard Walter
Son of Arthur L. and Lillian (Woodward)
Andrews
- Nov. 11. Andrews, Robert Ernest
Son of Arthur L. and Lillian (Woodward)
Andrews
- Nov. 12. McCarthy, Claire Irene
Daughter of Michael J. and Angeline (Du-
fault) McCarthy
- Nov. 17. Smith, Norma Lee
Daughter of Erwin L. and Susie (Brewer)
Smith
- Dec. 3. Burr, Clifford Francis
Son of Frank and Kathaleen (Frizzell)
Burr

MARRIAGES

- Jan. 1. Richard Lincoln to Mabelle H. (Bean)
Bartlett
- Jan. 3. John Truchinski to Anna Isabelle Nee
- Jan. 15. Hugh Joseph McDonald to Marjorie May
Fairbanks
- Feb. 27. Fred G. Slawson, Jr., to Evelyn C. Willard
- Mar. 25. Hiram Conant Mowry to Ruth Crawford
Pierce
- Apr. 4. Lawrence G. Misener to Margaret Hilda
Cody
- Apr. 19. Patrick Henry Manning to Bridget Mary
Doyle
- May 14. Charles Herbert Holmes to Hazel Rowell
- May 19. Edwin Stewart Freeman to Augusta Drown
- May 20. Percy T. Sprague to Isabelle P. (Howes)
Towle
- June 30. Primo Raffi to Louise Lucy Ramelli
- July 22. James Fairbairn Telfer and Florence Mary
Dupuis
- Aug. 20. William E. O'Connell to Adrienne Marshall
- Aug. 30. Charles H. Thompson to Blanche Grace
Bennett

- Sept. 3. Arthur R. Taylor to Ada Pearse
- Sept. 3. William Edward Wentworth to Gladys Miller
- Sept. 10. Frank J. Salmon to Mary Agnes McNulty
- Sept. 20. James Dewey Geoghegan to Helen Barbara Devitt
- Oct. 23. Peter Aloysius Delaney to Mary Elizabeth Boland
- Nov. 4. John Vincent Finn, Jr., to Mary Margaret Winn
- Nov. 30. Harold Elmer Fitzgerald to Lillian Winifred Borgeson

DEATHS

- Jan. 1. Ruth Prentiss Beaton, 4 yrs., 1 mo., 28 d.
 Jan. 3. Isabelle Minerva Nichols, 67 years, 1 mo.,
 21 days
 Jan. 5. Clarence Edward Taylor, 4 months, 9 days
 Jan. 16. Hannah Maria Nutt, 92 yrs., 8 mos., 21 days
 Feb. 9. Agnes Cown, 80 years, 10 mos., 15 days
 Feb. 14. Julia F. O'Brien, 55 yrs., 4 mos., 16 days
 Feb. 18. Helen Asenath Flanders, 57 years., 1 mo.,
 23 days
 Feb. 20. George H. Barnes, 64 yrs., 8 mos., 2 days
 Mar. 20. Dell Cara Drown, 61 yrs., 1 mo., 12 days
 Mar. 24. Catherine M. Powers, 69 years
 Apr. 5. Lawrence Everett Gray, 5 mos., 9 days
 April 23. Earle Harris Boutilier, 5 mos., 23 days
 Apr. 24. John Wilbur Barney, 79 yrs., 4 mos., 3 d.
 April 29. Rocco Tenaglia, 40 years.
 May 3. Berrien Vandervoort Smith, 10 years, 9
 months, 20 days
 June 8. Mary Elizabeth Winchester Fay, 59 years,
 4 months, 9 days
 June 18. Eliza Cantello, 76 years, 8 mos., 28 days
 July 13. Marion Laura Gould, 27 years, 3 days
 Aug. 6. Adoniram Judson Newton, 84 years, 6 mos.,
 9 days

- Aug. 22. George Morazzini, 1 month, 20 days
Aug. 27. (Baby) Brinley
Aug. 28. George William Moran, 78 yrs., 3 mos., 7 d.
Sept. 14. Michael Powers, 74 years.
Oct. 16. Thomas Carney, 66 yrs., 1 mo., 3 days
Oct. 16. Rhoda Arnold Eustis, 77 yrs., 11 mos., 14 d.
Dec. 10. Michael Sheehan, 70 yrs., 4 mos., 2 days
Dec. 20. Emma Fernald, 47 years, 6 months, 5 days
Dec. 27. Isabel Alice Tude, 24 years, 2 months, 11 d.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT, 1923

Births registered, males	17
Births registered, females	16
Marriages recorded	21
Deaths recorded, males	13
Deaths recorded, females	15
Fees received for recording above	\$57.50
Dogs licensed, males	157
Dogs licensed, females	50
Breeder's License	1
Paid County Treasurer	\$572.40
Fees received for Dog licenses	\$41.60
Hunters registered	56
Fishermen registered	17
Minor Trappers registered	10
Paid Commissioner of Fish and Game	\$106.55
Fees received for registering above	\$12.45
Fees received for filing marriage intentions	\$21.00
Fees received for Birth Certificates	\$1.75
Fees received for recording mortgages, etc.	\$11.25

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,

Town Clerk

ASSESSORS' REPORT, 1923

	Valuations	
	April 1, 1922.	April 1, 1923
Real Estate	\$2,306,565	\$2,235,710
Personal Property	625,818	726,294
Total Valuation	2,932,383	2,962,004
Number of Polls assessed 627		
Town Appropriations	102,943.71	
State Tax	6,600.00	
\$3 on 627 poll taxes,		
State Bonus to soldiers	1,881.00	
State Highway Tax	738.20	
County Tax	4,000.00	
Overlayings on Taxes	641.09	
Total Expenditures		116,804.00

Deduct estimated receipts as follows:

Cash in Treasury, by vote of	
the Town	15,000.00
Corporation Tax	6,700.00
Bank Tax	2,500.00
Worcester Cons. Railway Franchise Tax	365.00
Met. W. & Sew. Board, in lieu of Tax on land	2,284.94
Moth Tax and Private Spraying	117.56
From St. Mark's School	1,500.00

From Fay School	1,750.00	
Income Tax from State, Schools	2,293.40	
Income Tax Pursuant Sec. 18, Chap.		
58, General Laws	4,818.47	
From previous years' Taxes	1,963.19	
From State educational reimb.	2,000.00	
From Town Hall rent	375.00	
Protection of Property	250.00	
Charities, Reimbursements	400.00	
Soldiers' Benefits, Reimbursements	300.00	
Education, Reimbursements	1,500.00	
Libraries, Reimbursements	25.00	
Cemeteries, Reimbursements	500.00	
Interest on deposits and Taxes	900.00	
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Estimated Receipts		45,542.56
Amount raised on property and polls,		
including overlayings		71,261.44
Moth Tax, and private spraying		117.56
Tax rate \$23 on \$1000.		
Taxes added		11.50
Taxes abated, 1921 assessments		
Personal	3.89	
Poll	5.00	8.89
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Taxes abated, 1922 Assessments		
Polls	66.00	
Real Estate	3.47	
Moth Tax	9.00	
Personal	8.67	87.14
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Taxes abated, 1923 Assessments

Real Estate	1.15	
Personal	33.93	
76 World War Veterans, at \$3 ea.	228.00	
2 Spanish War Veterans, \$3 each	6.00	
13 Poll Taxes, uncollectable	65.00	334.08

Respectfully submitted

GEORGE F. FIELD,
 FRANCIS McNEIL,
 EDWARD F. COLLINS,
 Assessors of Southborough

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1920 TAX ACCOUNT

Balance uncollected December 31,		
1922	23.60	
Interest	4.49	28.09
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Paid Town Treasurer		28.09

1921 TAX ACCOUNT

Balance uncollected December 31,		
1922	744.43	
Interest	84.25	828.68
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Abated and paid Town Treasurer		828.68

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,
Collector

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR 1922

DR.

Balance Uncollected, Dec. 31, 1922	\$7,844.88
Interest Collected	352.11
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	\$8,196.99

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Paid Town Treasurer	\$7,563.15
Taxes Abated	87.14
Taxes Uncollected	546.70
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	\$8,196.99

TAXES ABATED, 1922

12 Poll Taxes	\$60.00
2 World War Veterans	6.00
Real Estate	3.47
Moth Tax	9.00
Personal Property Tax	8.67
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	\$87.14

TAXES UNCOLLECTED, 1922

*Lewis Banks	\$140.27
W. E. Barney Estate	94.85
*Waldo A. Fay	11.24
*Herbert A. Hyde, Heirs of	70.90
James Minnucci	53.71

G Wesley Nichols Building Asso.	4.04
John Sealey	153.40
James G. Stockwell	8.09
Antonio Zerga	5.00
*Moise Boisvert	5.20
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	\$546.70

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR 1923

Taxes Committed by Warrant	\$71,261.44
Moth Tax	117.56
Taxes Added	11.50
Interest Collected	71.15
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	\$71,461.65
Taxes Abated	\$334.08
Paid Town Treasurer	63,359.67
Taxes Uncollected	7,767.90
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	\$71,461.65

TAXES ABATED, 1923

World War Veterans, 76	228.00
Spanish War Veterans, 2	6.00
Poll Taxes, 13	65.00
Real Estate	1.15
Personal Property	33.93
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	334.08

TAXES UNCOLLECTED, 1923

John Alporto	1.15	Vesta L. Dermon	82.80
E. Edwin Atwood	94.43	Nelson T. Dix	5.00
Matilda Banks	4.67	Walter Dockrell	5.00
Lewis Banks	109.35	Allan H. Draper	16.50
Wm. E. Barney		Samuel F. Draper	23.83
Estate	94.43	Isabelle G. Driscoll	46.58
Cesare Bartoloni	5.00	Thomas Eagan	5.00
John Berri	5.00	Amanda Fay	46.83
Robert H. Beals	5.69	Waldo A. Fay	76.73
Frank A. Beals	5.00	John V. Finn, Jr.	134.97
Chester M. Bean	71.38	George T. Firmin	5.58
Louis Bertonazzi	66.21	Andr'w Fitzgerald	128.40
Daniel F. Bigelow	65.55	Henry Flanders	5.00
Venanzio Borelli	72.20	Helen Flanders and	
George H. Brooks	5.00	Mary Gray	80.50
John J. Brooks	5.00	Helen A. Flanders,	
Chas. H. Bullens	5.00	Heirs of	12.65
Harry Burnett, 2d.	46.00	Angelo Fornasini	5.00
William A. Cahill	9.60	Thomas Francis	5.00
Ralph F. Coburn	120.88	Stephen Gale	1.15
Maurice Coleman	4.37	Tim'y J. Gallivan	45.50
Mabel P. Conder,		John Gebhart	5.58
Balance	121.14	Alexander Gilmore	48.30
Avis Cummings	70.28	Thomas Gino	5.00
Joseph Cummings	5.00	*Venanzio Golgatta	25.43
Emily Currie	10.93	Chester C. Gray	6.44
Dan'l M. Daughan	31.45	Chester C. and	
Eva B. Davis	156.66	Mary J. Gray	12.65
August Delarda	5.00	Fred Gray	5.00
Wm. S. Dermon	7.48	Reginald Hadley	11.44

Rowena Harding	43.70	Marchella Mitchell	78.78
Robert Hamilton	71.70	Mihran Margerian	46.26
Nellie Harris	65.15	Cora A. & Ada	
Hart Harris	34.51	M. Newton	11.50
Jesse Heyey	5.00	Francis D. Newton	21.28
*Grace K. Harw'd	176.33	George B. Nichols	4.60
Edward Honen	63.92	Charles O'Connell	.69
George N. Hull	5.00	Daniel O'Neil	5.00
Albert E. Hutt	5.00	Chas. I Parmenter	5.00
*Albert E. & Wal		Jewell I. Par'enter	17.66
ter A. Hutt	177.35	Gozatini Pensolfini	5.00
Ernest M. Jacobs	10.18	Luciano Perini	143.30
Frank Kehlwetter	5.00	Felix Phillippo	8.45
Gar'ed Kahedrian	147.18	Joseph Ramelli	5.00
Daniel Kelly, Jr.	5.00	Frank J. Salmon	116.80
Grace M. Kidder	99.45	Harrison H. Schaff	5.00
Ada B. King	43.70	Jos. W. Pinkham	111.29
Mattie F. Lane	44.41	Pilgrim Ch. Society	96.73
John Luce	24.05	*Phil Sheridan	
Mary Mahoney	74.75	Build'g Asso.	23.00
Thomas Manning	21.62	Catherine Powers	13.23
Bernard McCabe	5.00	Mary C. Quinn	20.70
John McCullough	9.36	John W. & Minnie	
Charles McDonald	9.37	G. Richards	89.86
Thomas McDonald	5.00	Geo. A. Saunders	51.18
Hugh McDonald	51.88	John Sealey	159.70
Richard McHale	127.73	Arthur Smith	18.12
Nellie McIntyre	27.60	Mary E. Smith	111.80
Adri'ne McMonigal	41.98	John Sullivan	54.58
Dominic Minnucci	5.00	Louise Sundberg	60.88
James Minnucci	58.48	Fred Tombrey	6.15
Lawrence Misener	5.00	Byron Tabor	5.00

Greeley S. Thoits	5.00	Arthur F. Brewer	187.26
Clinton Townsend	1.15	Eugene Hamilton	11.50
Fred Treacy	5.00	Wm. McLaughlin,	
Parker N. Uhlman	5.00	Heirs of	3.45
Harriet Voter	20.70	Jacob Tarplin	23.00
Joe Vesochky	5.00	Herbert P. Locke	4.03
John Walker	5.00	Matthew Boland	12.08
Thomas Wallace	31.05	*Angus McGilvary	27.60
*Mabel Ward, for		James H. Donahue.	
Cann'g Kitchen	20.70	Heirs of	42.80
John Watkins	11.27	*Tremblay &	
David Watkins	84.60	Fletcher	34.62
Arthur G. Webster	5.00	Nicholas Ziko	23.00
Helen Webster	133.40	George Butman	5.75
*John E. Welch	5.00	*Moise Boisvert	5.31
George Whelpley	5.00	Leslie R. Brown	124.45
Charles G. Wile	5.92	Mary Hayden,	
Arlington Wilde	46.40	Heirs of	5.75
Gust. Wyckstrom	5.00	Sarkis Nordigian	3.45
Antonio Zerga	5.00	Louis Kaplan	5.75
*Ronald M. For-		Asa Kennison	2.30
ward, Balance	3.50	John O. C. Fitz-	
		gerald	6.90
NON-RESIDENTS		John W. Allen	2.27
James F. Bacon	43.70		
B. & W. St. Ry.			
Co.	1,962.59		<hr/> 7,767.90

*These taxes were paid after the accounts were closed for 1923, but before the report was printed.

Respectfully submitted,

SETH H. HOWES,
Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Town of Southborough**

DR.

1922			
Dec.	31.	Balance	\$29,815.33
1923			
Jan.		Underwood Type. Co., rebate	.40
Feb.	1.	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax, 1922	146.68
		Common. of Mass., Income Tax, '22	137.50
	9.	New York, New Haven R. R. Co.	8.50
		Remington Type. Co.	2.50
Mar.	24.	Comm. of Mass., Vocation Educ'n	366.07
Apr.	18.	P. J. Brock, rebate	.45
	23.	St. Mark's School, Contribution	1500.00
	24.	Berger Mfg. Co., rebate	27.20
	26.	Roger Amory, L'n due Nov. 1, '23	10,000.00
May	3.	Comm. of Mass., Gypsy Moth	10.50
	18.	Cem'ry Trust Fund, for Geo. B. Fay	100.00
	21.	Comm. of Mass., Tuition of Child'n	202.95
	22.	Comm. of Mass., over charge on Tractor Registration	8.00
	29.	Cem. Trust Fund, Margaret Boralli	50.00
June	4.	Comm. of Mass., Gypsy & B. T. M.	189.95
	8.	N. End Savings Bank, Loan due Dec. 1, 1923	10,000.00

		Comm. of Mass., Director of Stand'ds	6.00
	20.	W. H. Guild & Co., rebate	1.90
	30.	Cemetery Trust Fund, from H. H. Fairbanks	100.00
		James Tarplin, Redemption of Taxes and expense	62.40
July	2.	St. Mark's School, supplies	13.00
	7.	Cemetery Committee, cash	343.00
	9.	St. Mark's School	90.00
	19.	P. J. Brock, rebate	.50
	30.	Comm. of Mass., Highways, G'y M.	72.52
	31.	People's Nat. Bank, Loan, due Dec. 15, 1923	10,000.00
Aug.	2.	Comm. of Mass., Income Tax, 1921	201.75
		do., 1922	110.00
		do., Corp. Tax	42.74
	9.	Cemetery Trust Fund, from Agnes G. Newton	100.00
	20.	Comm. of Mass., Civ. War Poll Tax	15.00
	30.	N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., fires	8.60
Sept.	8.	Coughlin Electric Co., rebate	5.75
	11.	Sale Fire House, old doors	6.00
	13.	Fay School, sale material	67.50
	24.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Paul Bosselli	50.00
Oct.	2.	Harris Forbes & Co., Loan due Dec. 31, '23	5,000.00
	3.	Comm. of Mass., Metropolitan Water Co., Taxes	2,284.94
	8.	Worcester Consolidated St. Ry. Co.	365.00
		F. X. Reilly, Clerk, court fees	10.00
	12.	Comm. of Mass., Tuition of Ch'en	1,006.50
	16.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Mrs.	

	H. L. Simpson	100.00
18.	Town of Hopkinton, Tuition	350.00
20.	Comm. of Mass., School Supt.	736.79
30.	Fay School, in lieu of Taxes, 1923	1,750.00
Nov. 20.	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax, Public	5,691.29
	Business	678.32
	Income Tax, General	4,669.97
	School	2,293.40
	Bank Tax, Sec. 1, Chapt. 13	3.67
	Sec. 10, Chapt. 13	1,468.54
	St. Railway	31.31
	Military Aid	13.50
	State Aid	295.00
	Soldiers' Exemption	38.46
Nov. 24.	Comm. of Mass., Mass. Tr'g School	117.00
Dec. 1.	do. Corp. Tax, 1922	19.87
12.	St. Mark's School and Man. Tr. Sch.	100.00
	Fay School, do.	50.00
20.	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax, 1923	135.39
29.	So. Union School, rent	12.00
31.	E. L. Ramsdell, Co'y Treas., Dog Tax	489.10
	Comm. of Mass., Income Tax, 1923	220.00
	Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., Int.	
	on Cemetery Trust Funds	573.38
	Martha Town, sale of material	19.25
	C. L. Fairbanks, 2 Garage Licenses	20.00
	Sealer Weights and Meas., fees	25.34
	3 Junk Dealers' Licenses	15.00
	Cemetery Committee, Care of Lots	592.62
	N. Eng. Tel & Tel. Co., Tolls	.95
	Sarah V. Stivers, Library fines	39.95
	Harry Burnett, Private Spraying	369.62

People's Nat. Bank, Int. on deposits	412.05
Town Hall Committee, cash	509.90
Fayville Hall Committee, cash	71.00
C. L. Fairbanks, Taxes, 1920	33.09
Taxes, 1921	819.79
S. H. Howes, Coll. Taxes, 1922	7,563.15
Taxes, 1923	63,359.67
Cemetery Committee, Cash	410.00
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	\$166,627.50

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Apr.	1.	No. End Savings Bank, Int. on Loan	100.00
	21.	Comm. of Mass.	111.38
	23.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 32	2.00
	26.	Roger Amory, Int. on Note, due Nov. 1 at \$4.25	223.11
June	8.	No. End Savings Bank, Int on Note, due Dec. 1 at \$4.25	207.78
		T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 33	2.00
		T. W. Humphrey, Court expense	5.75
	30.	No. End Savings Bank, Note due July 1	1,000.00
		6 mos.' Int.	52.25
		Harris Forbes & Co., do.	90.00
July	21.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 34	2.00
	31.	People's Nat. Bank, Int. on Note due Dec. 15 at \$4.65	179.54
Sept.	24.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 35	2.00

Oct. 2.	Harris Forbes & Co., Int. on Note due Dec. 31 at \$4.50	55.63
	No. End Savings Bank, Note due Oct. 1	2,500.00
	6 mos.' Int.	100.00
	Comm. of Mass., over pay't Corp. Tax	139.11
18.	Edgar L. Ramsdell, County Treas., County Tax	4,000.00
26.	Roger Amory, Note due Nov. 1	10,000.00
Nov. 3.	1000 2c stamped envelopes	22.08
20.	Comm. of Mass., State Tax	6,600.00
	Highway Tax	738.20
	Civilian War Poll Tax	1,881.00
Dec. 1.	No. End Savings Bank, Note due Dec. 1	10,000.00
	Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., Dep. Cemetery Trust Fund	500.00
14.	Peoples' Nat. Bank, Note due Dec. 15	10,000.00
29.	Harris Forbes & Co., Note due Dec. 31	1,000.00
	6 Mos.' Int.	90.00
	Note due Dec. 31	5,000.00
	No. End Savings Bank, 6 mos.' Int	24.75
	Cemetery Committee, care of lots	592.62
	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax, Public Service	5.00

Selectmen's Orders	92,715.71
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	\$147,941.91
Balances	18,685.59
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	\$166,627.50

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Fay Library**

1923

		Balance		\$71.98
Jan.	17.	Marlborough Savings		
		Bank Int.	\$2.34	
		Am. Tel & Tel. Co.	20.00	
May	2.	Town of Gardner	10.00	
July		Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	20.00	
	18.	Marlb. Sav. Bank Int.	2.34	
Nov.	3.	Town of Gardner	10.00	64.68
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				136.66

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Sept.	8.	Library Book House	21.02	
Oct.	6.	do.	10.05	
Nov.	3.	do.	15.55	
Dec.		do.	73.61	120.23
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Balance				16.43

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Willson Charity Fund**

1923

	Balance		182.33
Jan. 6.	United Shoe Mach. Co.	15.00	
Apr. 6.	do.	15.00	
July 13.	do.	15.00	
Oct. 5.	do.	15.00	60.00
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			242.33

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Dec. 19.	Jessie W. Metcalf, Treas.	50.00	
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	Balance		192.33

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Rural Cemetery Commissioners**

1923

	Balance		949.85
May 12.	Joseph F. Gebhart, Lot 4, Range 13	30.00	
14.	Charles E. Fuller, Lot 22, Range 13	60.00	
15.	Chester C. Gray, Lot 45, Range 12	30.00	
	Interest on money dep.	19.14	139.14
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			1,088.99

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Oct. 6.	P. J. Brock		21.75
	Balance		<hr/>
			1,067.24

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herby submit my annual report for the year ending
December 31, 1923:

Total number of Stables inspected	74
Number of dairy cows inspected	745
Number of young cattle inspected	210
Number of bulls inspected	25
Total number of cattle inspected	980
Number of swine inspected	86
Number of goats inspected	21
Number of sheep inspected	2
Total number of animals inspected	1,089
Number of cattle quarantined	1
Number of cattle killed	1
Number of cattle released	0
Number of dogs quarantined to prevent spread of of rabies	28
Number of dogs affected with rabies	6

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. ONTHANK,
Inspector of Animals

THOMAS E. WALDRON, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

135 Trust Funds	Lot	Section	Deposited with Treas.	Interest Unexpended	Interest 1923	Total Interest	Care of Lot	Unex- pended
Angier, C. M.	28	11	100.00	7.52	5.00	12.52	5.52	7.00
Arnold, Jackson	27	2	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Baker Lot	13	10	100.00	17.00	5.00	22.00	6.00	16.00
Bacon, A. E.	4	3	100.00	.75	5.00	5.75	4.75	1.00
Barney Nancy E.	17	5	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Basseli, Paul w. h.	8	13	50.00		.65	.65		.65
Bemis, M. E.	46	2	100.00	10.00	5.00	15.00	5.00	10.00
Bemis, Jacob	37	3	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Belknap, Hiram	48	2	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	4.25	2.00
Blair, Lizzie M.	5	7	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	3.00	3.75
Borelli, Margaret e. h.	10	12	50.00		1.50	1.50		1.50
Brigham, Lucretia L.	7	9	100.00	9.75	5.00	14.75	8.00	6.75
Brigham, Dana E.	6	5	75.00	.87	3.75	4.62	4.62	
Brigham, E. M.	17	2	100.00	6.00	5.00	11.00	5.00	6.00
Brewer, Walter L.	25	9	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50
Brewer, Arthur F.	5	11	75.00	.87	3.75	4.62	4.62	
Brown Lot	29	9	100.00	5.38	5.00	10.38	5.38	5.00
Buck, Mrs. Chas. M.	42	6	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50
Buck, Wallace B.	3	7	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50

Buck, William H.	49	7	100.00	.85	5.00	5.85	4.85	1.00
Burdett Fund	15	9	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50
Burnett, Charles	32	3	50.00	.73	2.50	3.23	2.73	.50
Chamberlain, Ephraim	10	3	100.00	10.00	5.00	15.00	6.00	9.00
Chamberlain, John	6	3	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Chamberlain Ellen Jane	7	1	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50
Choate, E. C.	50	11	100.00	8.50	5.00	13.50	5.00	8.50
Clifford, William D.	20	4	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Coldwell, William H.	30	10	100.00	2.70	5.00	7.70	5.70	2.00
Colleary, Wm. & John	17	12	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Cook, Mrs. Hiram E.	33	9	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	7.00	5.50
Collins, William	18-4	4-10	150.00	9.78	7.50	17.28	8.28	9.00
Collins, Leander A.	3	9	75.00	.75	3.75	4.50	3.75	.75
Cowern Fund	11	3	100.00		2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00
Davis, Benjamin	2	2	100.00	10.50	5.00	15.50	6.00	9.50
Dillingham, Benj. C.	22	4	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50
Este, F. F.	43	3	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
Eames, Jonathan G. F'd	50	7	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	5.00	2.25
Fay, H. Maria, Mrs.	9	3	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	7.00	5.50
Fay, Manassah	9	2	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	6.00	3.50
Fay, Josiah C.	1-44	2-3	125.00	1.25	6.25	7.50	5.25	2.25
Fay, Temple	33	7	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50

Fay, Francis A.	2	11	100.00	5.50	5.00	10.50	5.00	5.50
Fay, Mary M.	11	9	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Fay, Benjamn H.	1	3	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	4.00	2.75
Fay, George B.	1	5	100.00		3.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
Fairbanks, Freeman	10	6	100.00		2.50	2.50	2.00	.50
Fisher, Sarah, Miss	21	4	100.00	6.50	5.00	11.50	6.00	5.50
Fisher, George C.	43-43½	4	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Follensby, Lyman	54	11	75.00	.75	3.75	4.50	3.75	.75
Follensby, Francis, and Edmund Bailey Fund	28	8	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Gilmore, Nelson	43	7	100.00	9.50	5.00	14.50	5.00	9.50
Gibson, John T.	1	6	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Gilbert, Ella Howe Balcome	31	7	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Glidden, John, Mrs.	34	11	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Guild, E. A.	19	10	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50
Hammond, John W.	23	2	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
Harrington, Levi	29	7	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
Haynes, Frank E. and Sawtelle, Henry L.	24	2	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Hervey, W. H. and Moore, Artemas	19	1	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50

Howe, Ashbel	47	3	100.00	9.50	5.00	14.50	6.00	8.50
Hodge, Roswell B., Heirs of	16	10	75.00	.75	3.75	4.50	3.75	.75
Howard, Isaac	36	9	75.00	.75	3.75	4.50	3.75	.75
Hyde, Harriet M.	3	10	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Hyde, Abraham, H's of	12	3	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75
Jennison, Mary	47	7	100.00	8.50	5.00	13.50	7.00	6.50
Jennison, Joseph	40	3	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Jennison, William	43	6	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
Johnson, Addison	25	2	100.00	5.50	5.00	10.50	5.00	5.50
Johnson, Lewis F. and Nathan L.	51-52	6	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Kaler Aristed D.	30	7	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Kelley, John	3	13	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Knight and Green	16	6	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Lane, Geo. E.	23	9	75.00	1.25	3.75	5.00	4.00	1.00
Long, Sam'l and Sarah	24	10	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
McCarthy, James, Fund	21	12	100.00	6.00	5.00	11.00	5.00	6.00
McQuarrie, A.	1	1	75.00	2.75	3.75	6.50	3.75	2.75
Mitchell, Michael	40	9	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50
Mitchell, D. W., Mrs.	38	11	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50
Mixer Lot	25	5	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50

Moore, Susan	19	9	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Morse, Harriet E.	20	3	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Moulton, Fred, H's of	50	6	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Murray, Timothy	28	9	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Muchmore, William	14	2	100.00		1.00	1.00		1.00
Neal, Harrison	11-1	1-10	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Newton, Adoniram J.	51	11	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50
Newton, Albro	29	10	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Newton, Charles H.	48	2A	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Newton, Curtis	29	3	100.00	6.00	5.00	11.00	5.00	6.00
Newton, Harvey	28	1	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Newton, Lincoln, H's of	27	4	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Newton, Lucy	26	10	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Newton, Steph. & Dex'r	21	3	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Newton, Sullivan B.	34	8	100.00	3.50	5.00	8.50	5.00	3.50
Newton, Sylvester	25	3	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
Nichols, Mary A., Mrs.	51	7	100.00	6.00	5.00	11.00	5.00	6.00
Nichols, Horace	17	9	100.00	8.50	5.00	13.50	5.00	8.50
Nye, Daniel B. and Edmund B. Kaler	42	7	100.00	1.50	5.00	6.50	5.00	1.50
O'Leary, J. Otis	36	11	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Oliver, H. Kimble	E.	B.	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50

Onthank, Charles H.	49-50	3	150.00	3.78	7.50	11.28	6.28	5.00
Onthank, Nahum H.	24	1	100.00	2.17	5.00	7.17	5.17	2.00
Onthank, W. A. and Clara I. Houghton	21	11	100.00	2.00	5.00	7.00	5.00	2.00
Parker, Hiram, Mrs.	22	1	75.00	1.87	3.75	5.62	3.87	1.75
Parker, Charles S.	34	6	100.00	2.35	5.00	7.35	5.35	2.00
Parmenter, Warren F'd	30	3	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
Pearl, Lois D.	34	9	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Prentiss, Abner	1/2-48	11	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Prentiss, B. F., Mrs.	1/2-48	11	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Robinson, J. H., Est. of A.	A.		100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Rogers, Frederick and Onthank Fund	51	3	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Salmon, Patrick	8	12	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
Sawin, C. B.	25	6	75.00	.75	3.75	4.50	3.75	.75
Shuttleworth, Peter	6	10	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Smith, Isaac, Heirs of	52	3	100.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	6.00	4.00
Smith, Addison, H's of	33	11	75.00	.75	3.75	4.50	3.75	.75
Smith, William W.	15	8	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50
Smith, Samuel A.	33	6	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	5.00	4.50
Snow, Ella F.	22	8	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Sparrowk, John	35	11	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50

Taylor, Abbie A.	45	11	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Taylor, Charles E.	32	12	75.00	.75	3.75	4.50	3.75	.75
Waldron, E. J.	1	11	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Ward, Ephraim	23	3	100.00	11.50	5.00	16.50	6.50	10.00
Ward and Boutilier	29	11	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Webster, Horace F.	2	6	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Walker, Lorenzo	18	5	100.00	2.00	5.00	7.00	5.00	2.00
Williams, Ella E. and Sibley Lot	54	4	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Williams and Marshall Lot	16	5	100.00	7.50	5.00	12.50	4.00	8.50
Whiting, Seth	8	3	100.00	4.50	5.00	9.50	6.00	3.50
Whiting, Edward	16	3	50.00	.50	2.50	3.00	2.50	.50
Whittemore, Marshall	15	5	100.00	14.50	5.00	19.50	5.00	14.50
Woodward, F. B. and John L. Bosquet	6-13	8	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Wood, Charles A.	30-32	9	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Wyman, Hannah W.	52	2A	100.00	3.00	5.00	8.00	5.00	3.00

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE SOUTHBORO FIRE DEPARTMENT

Total number of fires	12
Value of property placed in danger	\$75,200.00
Loss by fire	\$13,300.00

The equipment of the Southboro Fire Department consists of the following:

- 1 Howe Service Pumper
- 1 Motor Ladder Truck
- 1 Ford, equipped for forest fires
- 2 Ford two-tank chemicals, 1 stationed at Fayville,
1 stationed at Southville
- 1 Erick Electric Fire Alarm

The membership of the department consists of 1 chief, 3 captains, 4 lieutenants, 28 call-men.

During the last year we have installed one cistern on land of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, a four-inch pipe run to side of road.

On the day the cistern was tested out, the pumper was run for 20 minutes, first with a $1\frac{1}{8}$ stream, then $2\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, $3\frac{1}{2}$ -inch streams. Before we could pick up our hose the cistern was overflowing.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That two more cisterns be installed at Fayville and Southville. That 1000 feet of new hose be purchased,

so that present hose may be dried out after every fire, by putting same in drying box.

That the Fayville fire house be repaired, the floor under chemical is not safe, the roof leaks and should be renewed.

That a four-inch pipe be run to reservoir from a point opposite the Allan Draper house.

That the floor in fire house at Southborough be strengthened, or we will find the apparatus in the cellar some day.

The installation of three (3) fire alarm boxes, one to be placed at the Southborough Drug Store, one at or near the house of Dr. Webster, on Main Street, and one at Sear's Corner, at an expense of \$750.00.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE CLOSSON,
Chief of the Southborough Fire Dept.

REPORT OF TOWN HALL COMMITTEE

Our expenditure for 1923 slightly exceeded the amount appropriated by the Town and this was due to the increased payments made for caretaker's services, which in turn was due to a greater use of the Town Hall, during the past year. The increase in our rent receipts more than offset our increased expense.

During the past year we have re-arranged the lighting system and other small needed repairs have been attended to. We have also arranged during the coming year to put in a copper hot-water tank in the kitchen, so that hot water will be available whenever the range is in operation.

We are reluctant to ask for any increased appropriations for the Town Hall, at this time, when the demand for funds is so heavy, but, on the other hand, believe that it is our duty to point out to the citizens of the Town, what in the opinion of your committee should be expended during this coming year. We do not believe that it is a good or wise policy to allow Town property, such as the hall, to suffer from lack of proper and needed repairs.

We therefore recommend the following appropriations:

1. For Maintenance	\$1,000.00
2. Laying of a new floor	600.00
3. Other small repairs	300.00

The sanitary conditions are not good and should have attention. The inside of the building needs painting and cleaning, but it would not be advisable to do this until the roof is put in first-class condition. Each year we are making small expenditures to keep it in as good repair as possible, but these are only temporary and the roof should be put in first-class condition.

With reference to the matter of insurance in force on the Town Hall and contents, while this matter is one over which your committee has no jurisdiction, we would call the attention of the voters and tax-payers of the Town to the fact that the total insurance on the Town Hall and contents is \$19,200.00, an amount that would not come any where near replacing the property if it were lost by fire. We believe this should be increased.

Respectfully submitted,

A. E. HUTT,
J. T. OULDS,
WM. DUNCAN,
Town House Committee

MEMORIAL DAY

DR.

Appropriation	\$100.00
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Expended:

Southborough Brass Band	\$40.00	
John D. Billings, Orator	10.00	
Frank Fitzgerald, Automobiles	10.00	
E. C. Wells	7.00	
B. P. Winch, Flowers	24.00	
For Repair Soldiers' Graves	9.00	100.00

FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
Quartermaster, Post 44, G. A. R.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT, 1923

Number of volumes in Library	15,252
Number of volumes added during 1923	354
Number of volumes purchased	151
Number of volumes donated	203
Number of volumes delivered	8,773
Number of volumes delivered in Southville	979
Number of volumes delivered in Fayville	1,489
Largest number of books delivered in a month	967
Largest number of books delivered in a day	196
Smallest number of books delivered in a month	523
Smallest number of books delivered in a day (one day only)	0
Average attendance a month	549
Average attendance a day	19
Fines collected	\$39.50

Books delivered in Southborough in the following classes:

000 General works	0
100 Philosophy	37
200 Religion	13
300 Sociology	41
400 Philology	0
500 Science	31
600 Useful Arts	44
700 Fine Arts	36
800 Literature	220

900 History	73
910-919 Travel	90
920 Biography	81
Fiction	5,803
Current Periodicals	397

Books delivered among Juveniles:

Fiction	802
Non-Fiction, including Science, Fine Arts, History, Literature and Current Periodicals	151

Books delivered in Southville:

Adult Fiction	596
Juvenile Fiction	383
Average attendance a month	29

Books delivered in Fayville:

Adult Fiction	1,355
Juvenile Fiction	119
Current Periodicals	70

Fay Library is open every day, but holidays and Sundays, from 3 o'clock to 5 o'clock, and Wednesday and Saturday evenings, from 7 to 9.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH V. STIVERS,
Librarian

LIST OF BOOKS ADDED DURING 1923

ADULT FICTION

Adventures of the world's greatest detectives. George Barton.

The Alaskan. J. O. Curwood.

Alcatraz. Max Brand.

Alice of Old Vincennes. Maurice Thompson.

- An American emperor. Louis Tracy.
 The American prisoner. Eden Phillpotts.
 Arnold Adair with the English Aces. L. L. Driggs.
 Average cabins. I. C. Clarke.
 The backwoodsmen. C. G. D. Roberts.
 Bar-20. C. E. Mulford.
 The barge of haunted lives. J. A. Tyson.
 The Barrier. Allen French.
 Big timber. B. W. Sinclair.
 Boss of the Lazy Y. C. A. Seltzer.
 A box of matches. J. H. Sears.
 A bride on trust. Henry Curties.
 The brimming cup. D. F. C. Fisher.
 Butterfly. K. T. Norris.
 By the blue water. I. C. Clarke.
 By the good Sainte Anne. A. C. Ray.
 Captain Blood. Rafael Sabatini.
 Captain Landon. R. H. Savage.
 Carina. I. C. Clarke.
 A certain rich man. W. A. White.
 The chalice of courage. C. T. Brady.
 A cheque for three thousand. A. H. Veysey.
 Children of Eve. I. C. Clarke.
 The chronicles of Martin Hewitt. Arthur Morrison.
 Cleek of Scotland Yard. T. W. Hanshew.
 The clue. Carolyn Wells.
 Colonel Greatheart. H. C. Bailey.
 The colonel of the Red Huzzars. J. R. Scott.
 The confessions of a well meaning woman. Stephen
 McKenna.
 Conjuror's house. S. E. White.
 The conspiracy. R. M. Baker and J. Emerson.

- Contraband. C. B. Kelland.
 The covered wagon. Emerson Hough.
 The crystal stopper. Maurice Leblanc.
 Curly. Roger Pocock.
 Danger. Ernest Poole.
 The decision. F. A. Dearborn, tr.
 The deep heart. I. C. Clarke.
 The deerslayer. J. F. Cooper.
 Delightful Dodd. Elliott Flower.
 The depot master. J. C. Lincoln.
 The dim lantern. Temple Bailey.
 Doctor Nye of North Ostable. J. C. Lincoln.
 D'ri and I. I. A. Bacheller.
 Ebony and ivory. Llewelyn Powys.
 Elizabeth's campaign. M. A. A. Ward.
 The Elstones. I. C. Clarke.
 The enchanted April. M. A. Arnim.
 Eunice. I. C. Clarke.
 Faint perfume. Zona Gale.
 Fast as the wind. Nathaniel Gould.
 The fighter. A. P. Terhune.
 Fine clay. I. C. Clarke.
 Flying U Ranch. B. M. Sinclair.
 The forest. S. E. White.
 The forge in the forest. C. G. D. Roberts.
 The four stragglers. F. L. Packard.
 Fugitive Ann. R. C. Praed.
 The furnace of gold. P. V. Mighels.
 The Gaspards of Pine Croft. C. W. Gordon.
 The gay rebellion. R. W. Chambers.
 The geese fly south. Mary Bourn.
 Gold. S. E. White.

The grell mystery. Frank Froest.
 The grey room. Eden Phillpotts.
 Happy Hawkins. R. A. Wason.
 The happy isles. W. B. B. King.
 The hawkeye. J. H. Quick.
 He comes up smiling. Charles Sherman.
 Hearts and the highway. C. T. Brady.
 The hidden spring. C. B. Kelland.
 The Hoosier volunteer. Kate Boyles and V. Boyles.
 How Leslie loved. A. W. French.
 Huntingtower. John Buchan.
 I have only myself to blame. E. A. Bibesco.
 Iron heart. W. M. Raine.
 The iron trail. R. E. Beach.
 John O'Jamestown. Vaughan Kester.
 The key to yesterday. C. N. Buck.
 The kidnapped millionaires. F. U. Adams.
 Kingsmead. B. Hutten zum Stolzenberg.
 Lady Trent's daughter. I. C. Clarke.
 The last of the plainsmen. Zane Grey.
 The last of the Vikings. Johan Bijer.
 The law of the land. Emerson Hough.
 Leadbetter's luck. H. F. Day.
 The light on the lagoon. I. C. Clarke.
 The light that lures. P. J. Brebner.
 A lighter of flames. W. S. Hart.
 The London spy. T. F. Burke.
 The lonesome trail. B. M. Sinclair.
 A lost lady. W. S. Cather.
 Love at seventy. L. B. Porter.
 The luck of Roaring Camp. F. B. Harte.
 The maid of the forest. Randall Parrish.

- The man at Lone Lake. Virna Sheard.
 The man in the brown derby. Wells Hastings.
 The manager of the B. & A. Vaughan Kester.
 The mascot of Sweet Briar Gulch. H. W. Phillips.
 Mason of Bar X Ranch. Harry Bennett.
 A master of fortune. C. W. Hyne.
 Memoirs of an American citizen. Robert Herrick.
 The Meredith mystery. N. S. Lincoln.
 The mine with the iron door. H. B. Wright.
 The Missourian. E. P. Lyle, Jr.
 The moccasins of gold. Norman Way.
 The mystery of a hansom cab. Fergus Hume.
 The night horseman. Max Brand.
 Nomads of the north. J. O. Curwood.
 North of 36. Emerson Hough.
 The old flute player. Edward Marshall and C. T. Dazy.
 Oliver October. G. B. McCutcheon.
 Only Anne. I. C. Clarke.
 Otherwise Phyllis. Meredith Nicholson.
 Perch of the devil. Mrs. G. F. Atherton.
 The plow-woman. Eleanor Gates.
 The potter's house. I. C. Clarke.
 Prisoner's years. I. C. Clarke.
 The privateers. H. B. M. Watson.
 The quare women. Lucy Furman.
 The Queen of Farrandale. Mrs. C. L. R. Burnham.
 The ramrodders. H. F. Day.
 Raw gold. B. W. Sinclair.
 The reclaimers. M. H. McCarter.
 Redcloud of the lakes. F. R. Burton.
 The red-keggers. Eugene Thwing.

- The red republic. R. W. Chambers.
 Red Saunders. H. W. Phillips.
 The rest house. I. C. Clarke.
 The river. Ednah Aiken.
 The river trail. L. Y. Erskine.
 Rough-hewn. D. F. C. Fisher.
 Sailor's knots. W. W. Jacobs.
 The sealed valley. Hulbert Footner.
 The secret citadel. I. C. Clarke.
 The secret of Kyriels. Edith Nesbit.
 Secret service. C. T. Brady.
 Seth Jones. E. S. Ellis.
 The seven conundrums. E. P. Oppenheim.
 Scientific Sprague. Francis Lynde.
 Shavings. J. C. Lincoln.
 The sheriff of Dyke Hole. Ridgewell Cullum.
 The sheriff of Silver Bow. Berton Braley.
 The shooting of Dan McGrew. Marvin Dana.
 The silver horde. R. E. Beach.
 Sir Henry Morgan, buccaneer. C. T. Brady.
 Sky rider. B. M. Sinclair.
 Smoke Bellew. Jack London.
 A son at the front. Mrs. E. N. J. Wharton.
 The son of the sun. Jack London.
 Son of Tarzan. E. R. Burroughs.
 Spinster of this parish. W. B. Maxwell.
 The squaw man. J. O. Faversham.
 The steel crown. Fergus Hume.
 The step on the stair. Mrs. A. K. G. Rohlf's.
 The stowmarket mystery. Louis Tracy.
 Strongheart. F. R. Burton.
 The tale of Triona. W. J. Locke.

Tetherstones. E. M. Dell.

31 stories by thirty-one authors. Ernest Rhys and C. A. Scott.

This freedom. A. S. M. Hutchinson.

Three daughters of the Confederacy. C. T. Brady.

Through the wall. Cleveland Moffett.

Timber wolf. Jackson Gregory.

Time is whispering. Elizabeth Robins.

The tin soldier. Temple Bailey.

Tomorrow about this time. Mrs. G. L. H. Lutz.

The trail of ninety-eight. R. W. Service.

The treasure trail. F. L. Pollock.

Tressider's sister. I. C. Clarke.

Trodden gold. H. V. O'Brien.

Tumbleweeds. H. G. Evarts.

Uncle Wash, his stories. J. T. Moore.

Unmasked at last. Headon Hill.

Ursula Finch. I. C. Clarke.

Vesty of the basins. S. P. M. Greene.

The wagon wheel. W. P. White.

Wanderer of the wasteland. Zane Grey.

Warrior Gap. Charles King.

West is west. E. M. Rhodes.

The west wind. C. T. Brady.

What's his name? G. B. McCutcheon.

When the camp fire burns. J. H. Cornyn.

The white flag. Mrs. G. S. Porter.

Who goes there! R. W. Chambers.

Whose name is legion? I. C. Clarke.

With hoops of steel. F. F. Kelly.

The wolf. Eugene Walter.

The woman of Knockaloe. T. H. H. Caine.

Non-Fiction

000 GENERAL WORKS

Cumulative book index. E. E. Hawkins, ed.
Report Librarian of Congress, 1922 and 1923. Herbert Putnam.

100 PHILOSOPHY

Analysis of the Interchurch world movement report on the steel strike. Marshall Olds.
The mind in the making. J. H. Robinson.
Your hidden powers. James Oppenheim.

200 RELIGION

For love's sake. L. M. Zimmerman.
Life of Christ. Giovanni Papini.
The story of the Bible. H. W. Van Loon.

300 SOCIOLOGY

Acts and resolves, 1922, 1923. Mass. General Court.
Acts and resolves, public and private of the Province of Mass. Bay.
Annual report Commissioner of Banks, 1922, pt. 1 and 2, Mass.
Annual report Department of Labor and Industries, 1922, Mass.
Annual report Commissioner Public Safety, 1922, Mass.
Cases argued and determined, vols. 236-243. Mass.
Enclaves of single tax. C. W. Huntington.
Fourth annual convention 1922, Mass. American Legion
Fifty-seventh annual encampment 1922-1923 Mass. G.A.R.
Journal of the House, vol. 4, 1722-1723. Mass. Hist. Society.

- Journal of the House, 1923. Mass.
 Journal of the Senate. Mass.
 Manual for the General Court 1923-1924. Mass.
 Nature and sources of the law. J. C. Gray.
 Official opinions of the Attorney-General, V. 5. Mass.
 Official report Spanish War Veterans, 1921. Mass.
 Ordeal of Mark Twain. Van Wyck Brooks.
 Report of the Auditor, 1922. Mass.
 The story of our Army, from Colonial days to the present time, vols. 1 and 2. W. J. Abbot.
 34th, 35th and 36th report statistics of railways, 1920, 1921, 1922. U. S. Interstate Commerce Commission.
 Vital records to year 1850. Acton, Mass.
 Vital records to year 1850. Deerfield, Mass.
 Vital records to year 1850. Gloucester, Mass.
 Vital records to year 1850. Mendon, Mass.
 Vital records to year 1850. Plympton, Mass.

500 SCIENCE

- Field book of common rocks and minerals. F. B. Loomis.
 Life of the scorpion. J. H. C. Fabre.
 Nature's revelations. Eliza O'Connor.
 Proceedings of the U. S. Nat. Museum, vol. 60, 61. Smithsonian Instit.
 The racial history of man. R. B. Dixon.
 Tamings the wildings. Herbert Durand.
 The volcano's deadly work from the fall of Pompeii to the destruction of St. Pierre. Charles Morris and S. A. McAlister.

600 USEFUL ARTS

- Annual report 1922 Mass. Department of Agriculture.

- A collation of cakes. C. Q. Murphy.
 The dog book. James Watson.
 The home nurses' handbook of practical nursing. C. A. Aikens.
 Letters of a business woman to her daughter and letters of a business girl to her mother. Z. P. Wilkins.
 Modern home dyeing. M. J. Phillips.
 Radio simplified. L. F. Kendall and R. P. Koehler.
 Year book of 1921. U. S. Department of Agriculture.

700 FINE ARTS

- Garden whimseys. C. R. Lomas.
 Gardening for the twentieth century. Charles Eley.
 Outside the house beautiful. H. C. Peabody.
 Working drawings of colonial furniture. F. J. Bryant.

800 LITERATURE

- American night's entertainment. G. M. Overton.
 American poetry since 1900. Louis Untermeyer.

900 HISTORY

- Admirals of the Caribbean. F. R. Hart.

910-919 TRAVEL

- The Adirondacks. T. M. Longstreth.
 Alaska, our northern wonderland. F. G. Carpenter.
 Audacious angles on China. Elsie McCormick.
 The Catskills. T. M. Longstreth.
 From Cairo to Kisumu. F. G. Carpenter.
 From Tangier to Tripoli. F. G. Carpenter.
 Head hunters of the Amazon. F. W. Up de Graff.
 The holy land and Syria. F. G. Carpenter.

- The lone winter. Mrs. A. B. Greene.
 The Maine woods. H. B. Thoreau.
 Massachusetts beautiful. Wallace Nutting.
 Modern Holland. J. J. Fieth.
 My unknown chum. "Aguecheek."
 New pictorial atlas of the world. G. W. James and A.
 H. Burgoyle and E. E. Peake.
 Planning a trip abroad. Edward Hungerford, ed.
 Shackleton's last voyage. Frank Wild.
 The tail of the hemisphere, Chile and Argentina. F. G.
 Carpenter.

920 BIOGRAPHY

- Amelia Peabody Tileston and her canteen for the Serbs.
 Mrs. M. W. F. Tileston, ed.
 Barnum. M. R. Werner
 Beasts, men and gods. Ferdinand Ossendowski.
 Caleb and Mary Wilder Foote. Mrs. M. W. F. Tileston,
 ed.
 Caruso and the art of singing. Salvatore Fucito and
 B. J. Beyer.
 The letters of Franklin K. Lane. A. W. Lane and L. H.
 Wall, eds.
 The life and letters of Walter H. Page. B. J. Hendrick.
 Life and times of Alvah Crocker. W. B. Wheelwright.
 Lincoln. N. W. Stephenson.
 A man from Maine. E. W. Bok.
 The story of my boyhood and youth. John Muir.
 Who's who in America, vol. 12, 1922-23. A. N. Mar-
 quis, ed.

940.9 WAR BOOKS

- American Relief Clearing House, its work in the Great

War. Percy Mitchell.

A complete history of the World War, 5 vols. W. D. Eaton and H. Read.

The medical department of the U. S. A. in the World War, 2 vols. Maj. Gen. M. W. Ireland.

v. 1. The surgeon general's office.

v. 2. Military hospitals in the U. S.

My experiences at Scotland Yard. Sir B. H. Thomson.

List of Magazines That Can Be Found in Fay Library

America	Ladies' Home Journal
American Boy	Literary Digest
American Cookery	Living Age
Atlantic Monthly	Modern Priscilla
Bird-Lore	National Geographic
Forest and Stream	Popular Mechanics
Garden Magazine	St. Nicholas
Good Housekeeping	Scientific American
Harper's Magazine	Scribner's
Hibbert's Journal	World's Work
House Beautiful	Youth's Companion
John Martin's Magazine	

Juvenile Fiction

The Arabian night's entertainment.

Bessie Bradford's secret. J. H. Mathews.

The best foot forward. Rev. F. J. Finn.

Bobby in movieland. Rev. F. J. Finn.

"But Thy love and Thy grace." Rev. F. J. Finn.

Children's frolic.

A Christmas carol. Charles Dickens.

Claude Lightfoot. Rev. F. J. Finn.

Cupid of Campion. Rev. F. J. Finn.

A dog of Flanders. Louise de La Ramee.
 Ethelred Preston. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 Facing danger. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 The fairy of the snows. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 The Filipino twins. L. F. Perkins.
 The garden of paradise. H. C. Andersen.
 Happy holidays. E. T. Roe.
 Harry Dee. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 His first and last appearance. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 His luckiest year. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 Jo, the little machinist. J. H. Spyri.
 King Arthur and his knights. Mrs. M. L. Warren.
 Little stories of a big country. L. A. S. Large.
 Lucky Bob. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 The mermaid. H. C. Anderson.
 Mostly boys. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 Nid and Nod. R. H. Barbour.
 On the run. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 Percy Wynn. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 Right guard Grant. R. H. Barbour.
 The story of a bad boy. T. B. Aldrich.
 A story of Nancy Hanks. E. C. Phillips.
 The story of Patsy. Mrs. K. D. S. Riggs.
 That football game. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 That office boy. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 Thumbelisa. H. C. Andersen.
 Tom Playfair. Rev. F. J. Finn.
 Tranquility house. A. H. Seaman.
 Uncle Tom's cabin. Mrs. H. E. B. Stowe.
 Why the chimes rang. R. M. Alden.
 The wide awake first reader. Clara Murray.
 With Caesar's legions. R. F. Wells.

Juvenile Non-Fiction

300 SOCIOLOGY

Good manners for boys and girls. E. C. Learned.
 Grimm's fairy tales. J. L. K. Grimm.
 Japanese fairy tales. W. E. Griffis.
 Stoke's wonder book of Mother Goose.

500 SCIENCE

The Burgess flower book for children. T. W. Burgess.
 Little sea-folk. I. N. Gaylord.
 Under the roof of the jungle. C. L. Bull.

800 LITERATURE

Ten minutes by the clock and three other plays for
 children. A. C. Riley.
 Three to make ready (plays) L. A. Garnett

920 BIOGRAPHY

The autobiography of Benjamin Franklin.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

School Committee

OF

Southborough, Massachusetts

For the Year Ending December 31

1923



REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The Committee feels that its policy of improving the quality of instruction, even though at considerably higher cost, has justified itself. This applies more particularly to the High School, for the grades throughout the system have given less concern, being in almost every instance well conducted by a practically unchanging personnel.

Miss Fradd's resignation, in June, 1923, and that of Miss McCarthy, early in the current school year, were distinct misfortunes—both these young women being teachers of the highest excellence. Miss Barry, succeeding Miss McCarthy, is doing commendable work in the Commercial Department.

An unexpected increase in enrollment in Grades 7 and 8 has necessitated separating of these two grades, and the engaging of an additional teacher.

Manual Training, resumed in September, needs no other comment than that the Town is fortunate in having for this course so capable an instructor as Mr. Prendeville, at so little cost to itself.

It is doubtful whether, under prevailing conditions, we can hope to improve much farther our corps of instruction. It should not be allowed to deteriorate.

The conditions, however, under which some of the pupils work call for betterments involving considerable expense. Throughout the High School Building, window shades must be replaced. In several rooms, tho

electric wiring is in place, the necessary fittings have not been supplied. On dark days these lights are a necessity.

In the room occupied by Grades 3 and 4, there must be put, at once, new desks and seats adjustable to the individuals using them. This change is imperative, to prevent not only tiring discomfort, but, quite possibly, physical injury to pupils.

In the High School—main room—the present desks and seats should be replaced, being not only in bad condition, but of an undesirable type. The High School needs several good books of reference and three or four good dictionaries, and in the Chemistry Department, considerable new equipment of apparatus and supplies.

A beginning must be made of discarding, in all the schools, the badly worn and defaced text-books.

There should be no further temporizing with the frequently inadequate water-supply at Cordaville. There, too, the chimneys must be capped to prevent further damage to interior walls. The only expensive work necessary at the Fayville School is the building of a substantial fence.

Certain of these matters the Committee has planned for in its budget—for others, it is asking a special appropriation through an article in the Warrant.

We see no good reason why pupils bringing their luncheons to the Center School should not eat them in the upper rooms of the annex, rather than in the basement. This change would necessitate more careful supervision, and the insistence that nothing be added to the work of the janitor—already, and long since,

too heavy, particularly in the winter.

At the High School, the condition of the interior, and particularly conditions in the basement, ought to be corrected at once. The first of these can be rectified by granting the Committee funds to engage a part-time helper for Mr. Lawson—possibly, a woman. No one man can attend to eight fires and do all the other work demanded of a janitor as it should be done. It is for this reason that the building is untidy.

As for conditions in the basement, some relief might result from operating a proper type of blower to create ventilation—other than up the stair-wells. But even if this were effective, there is need of more attention to the upkeep than the janitor has time to give.

The recent outbreak of scarlet fever was checked by the prompt action of the school physician and school nurse.

The work of Superintendent Harris is to be commended, as is that of almost every teacher, but particularly that of the two who remain from last year in the High School.

SAMUEL CLARK,
CHARLES H. NEWTON,
FREDERICK C. STAPLES,
School Committee

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Southborough:

I herewith submit for your consideration my second annual report.

THE CLASSIFICATION OF THE SCHOOL POPULATION AND THE FUTILITY OF THE PRESENT COURSE OF STUDIES

Upon a child's entrance to school we almost invariably place him in the first grade, that is, we put those children who are approximately six years of age together. The classification would have as sensible a basis should we classify them by wealth of family, by social position, by political adherence of parents, by religious faith of home, by weight, by stature or by some other arbitrary standard.

The fact that a child is six years of age or thereabouts is no evidence that he can pursue the work of the first grade with profit. The fact that he is six years of age should not bar him from taking up work in a higher grade. His classification does not depend so much upon his kindergarten training or special tutoring, as upon the mental ability with which he is endowed.

The admission of children to the public school merely because they have had, or soon will have, a sixth birthday is a regulation so indefensible that everyone

concerned in retaining such a rule, which is well-nigh universal, ought to right-about-face and insist that hereafter children be admitted to school on mental age alone.

The school population of the entire town, the entire State or of the entire country may be classified as regards mentality, as follows:—A. The normal child. B The abnormal child. The second main division (B) may be subdivided into 1, The supernormal child and 2, The subnormal child. The last mentioned class (2) may be further subdivided into a, The backward child and b, the feeble-minded child. The last group (b) may be still further subdivided into the idiot, imbecile and the moron types. Moreover each of these last three types may be separated according to mentality into three classes. The moron usually is the lowest type intellectually for whom we have to plan, although the high grade imbecile is found in school. The idiot and low-grade imbecile although found in the school population are rarities in the school population.

All children, in fact, all human beings, may be found somewhere in the classification above. They differ much in mental traits. To be sure most of them are normal.

The courses of studies in the public schools are fitted for the normal child. The courses are ill-fitted for both the retardates and the accelerates.

For years we have endeavored to make all children normal by the employment of various agencies—the school physician, the school nurse, the Batavia system, extra teachers, semi-annual promotions, high and low grades, and so forth, but to little avail. We have dis-

covered at last that the attempt to make all persons normal is futile. The psychologist has come to the rescue and has correctly diagnosed the disease as acute mental indigestion. What we should do now, with the utmost speed, is to see that these different mental types are fed digestible mental food.

It would be helpful could parents everywhere keep in mind the fact that all children are not ultra-bright or even normal—that children who do fairly satisfactory work in the lower grades may not possess the mental power commensurate with the work as they advance—that their children come somewhere under the above classification and that the hope that they come under the most brilliant heading is often forlorn. Parental affection, however, precludes the possibility of unbiased judgment.

On the other hand, it would be well for school officials to keep in mind that this problem will always be with us, and that without further procrastination we ought to provide for all pupils the instruction that will be of decided advantage. This means more equipment, additional school accommodations, a greater number of teachers, with special training, all preceded by an increased appropriation.

If the exact brain power—general intelligence—or even the approximate brain power can be ascertained, the proper classification of the children of the public schools has been well-nigh solved. In the final analysis the entire solution rests upon the degree of progressiveness of school boards of the future, coupled with the financial backing of the people in general, provided, of course, that educational experts take the

initiative.

A school system that is at all progressive will hereafter classify its population on mental age modified by existing circumstances.

Fortunate we are, thanks to Binet, that we have ample means to determine with surprising accuracy the degree of general intelligence with which an individual is endowed. By the use of the Stanford Revision of the Binet-Simon Intelligence Scale, pupils in the public schools can be effectively classified. By these standardized tests, is determined Mental Age, which is merely the general brain power of the normal person of corresponding chronological age.

With the test given and the mental age determined, the classification is announced—not as a piece of guesswork, nor even a careful estimate—but as a scientific fact. These individual tests, however, need be given only in extreme cases, the classification being determined ordinarily by the results of group tests.

The problem is not at all solved as soon as classification according to mental age has been made, for the chronological age must be taken into consideration in determining whether a child is inferior or superior in general intelligence to the normal child. The ratio of mental age to chronological age, possibly corrected by the anatomical age, determines the Intelligence Quotient—a fairly constant quantity—which is the index of brightness or dullness.

Just as the use of scales determines which one of two persons is heavier or lighter, just so is the Intelligence Quotient evidence of the relative mental ability of the same individuals. The Intelligence Quotient of

a normal person is approximately 100. A child of eight years chronological age and six years mental age has an intelligence quotient of 75, which places the child just a little better than feeble-minded. A child with a mental age of eight years and a chronological age of six years has an intelligence quotient of 133, which places the child in the very superior class.

With the mental age and the intelligence quotient ascertained we are then ready to classify our school population on a scientific basis.

The great problem, which few school systems have yet solved, is to give the right kind of instruction to those children whose development stops before the age of fifteen, and also to give appropriate instruction to those whose mentality exceeds the average child.

This innate potentiality for mental development differs in children more than any other growth. Its obscurity to the inexperienced makes it difficult to become a popular belief. The school authorities have an easy problem to solve, if once it is attacked.

In brief a school system that does not look out for the future welfare of the individual child, first by ascertaining the Mental Age and the Intelligence Quotient making it thus possible to classify him properly, and secondly by providing appropriate instruction for each type of child, will soon find itself in a state of retrogression.

Throughout this country of every 100 boys and girls who enter the first grade only thirteen per cent. continue to high school graduation, less than seventy-five per cent. reach the sixth grade.

There is an almost constant diminution in numbers

from grade one to grade thirteen. This condition has been general and is now general. Notice, to be sure, has been taken of it, and much printed about it, yet this falling off in attendance in the upper grades is still such a problem that it demands concentrated attention.

This dropping out of school—this school mortality—depends upon many factors, but the chief reason is the lack of mental calibre of those attending our educational institutions.

By this is meant the lack of mental calibre for the work—the courses of studies which we offer. In many cases we are offering mental food which is revolting. This ends in a veritable hunger-strike, and school mortality ensues. Had these children been given the proper nurture their education would unquestionably have been greatly extended.

We have in the school system to-day too little of manual training. Too much book-work for all. This condition ought to result in an appropriation sufficient to maintain a full-time department in wood-working and another in house-hold arts for those who delight in motor-activity.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. HARRIS,
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL PETERS HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools,
Southboro, Massachusetts.

I hereby submit my report for the year ending December thirty-first, 1923.

The enrollment for the High School is as follows:

Freshmen:	Boys	11
	Girls	11
Sophomores:	Boys	7
	Girls	8
Juniors:	Boys	8
	Girls	9
Seniors:	Boys	4
	Girls	7
Total		75

The enrollment for the grades is as follows:

	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	VII.	VIII.	T't'l
Boys	10	7	9	10	7	5	6	12	66
Girls	8	5	9	10	11	17	8	11	79
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	18	12	18	20	18	22	14	23	145

A table of the courses offered in the High School and the number of students in each course follows:

Subjects	Students	Subject	Students
English I.	24	Typewriting III.	12
English II.	27	Typewriting IV.	5
English III.	19	Stenography IV.	4
English IV.	11	Stenography III.	6
Elementary Science 1	14	Home Economics I.	12
Physics III. & IV.	3	Home Economics II.	16
Anc. History I. & II.	30	Mechanical Drawing I.	10
Elemntary Algebra I.	45	Mechanical Drawi'g II.	7
Plane Geometry	6	Manual Training I.	11
Rev. Mathematics IV.	6	Manual Training II.	7
Latin I.	20	French II.	19
Caesar II.	14	French III.	8
Virgil I. & II.	4	French IV.	3
Commercial Arithmetic	7	Ameri'n Hist. III. & IV.	19
Bookkeeping III.	12	Music, all students	75
Typewriting II.	14		

The graduates of the class of 1923 have continued their work as follows:

- 1 Posse School of Gymnastics
- 1 Boston University
- 2 Burdett College
- 1 Forsyth Dental School
- 1 Wentworth Institute
- 2 Dennison Manufacturing Co.
- 1 Boston & Worcester Street Railway
- 1 Federal Reserve Bank
- 1 Waushakum Manufacturing Co.
- 1 Fayville Store
- 1 Boston Chapter, Red Cross
- 1 Landscape Gardener

The athletic activities of the school are confined to baseball and basket-ball. Last year we had a fine basket-ball team and a good baseball team. It has been my aim to encourage athletics with the idea that they are of secondary importance and that they must not interfere with the scholastic standing, which is the important thing in the pupils' school life.

During the past year an effort has been made to raise the scholastic standing of the school. The teachers feel that progress has been made, but that there is still room for further improvement. In this connection, I wish to state that in order to accomplish such improved standing there should be no such changing of teachers as has occurred during the past year. The position of the teacher of Latin and History has been filled five times in less than a year and a half. Such a condition tends to decrease the interest of the pupils in their work and is demoralizing to the discipline of the whole school.

A Prize Speaking Contest was held in the Spring of 1923 and contestants from several schools took part. A pupil of Peters High won the second prize, which we consider quite an honor for our school.

There are several things which I wish to recommend at this time as necessary for the welfare of the school. They are as follows:

1. New curtains for the building.
2. Making connections to electric light wires, so that the rooms may be lighted on dark and stormy days.
3. New desks and chairs for Grade III. and IV.,

Miss Sullivan's Room, and also new desks and chairs for the High School.

4. A set of encyclopedias for the High School.

Since the seventh and eighth grades have been separated and each put in charge of a teacher, there has been a crowded condition in the High School. One room has no desks or chairs and I believe that provision should be made for furnishing this room with the needed furniture, in order that classes may be conducted in a manner worthy of a High School.

At this time I again wish to impress upon the parents that education is a costly privilege and in consequence they should insist on a greater application to school work on the part of their children.

I wish to urge the parents to see that their children are not absent from school except for very urgent reasons. Days lost from school are very detrimental to regular progress in their school work.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the Superintendent, for his kindly criticism and advice, and the School Board, for their loyal support.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT S. WOODWARD,
Principal

SCHOOL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1923

Number of persons in town between the ages of 5 and 7 years: Boys, 18; Girls, 23; total 41.

Number of persons in town between the ages of 7 and 14 years: Boys, 92; Girls, 89; total 181.

Number of persons in town between the ages of 14 and 16 years: Boys, 35; Girls, 45; total 80.

ATTENDANCE DATA, YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1923

Total Enrollment for all the Schools	346
Average Membership	333
Average Daily Attendance	305

TEACHERS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Albert S. Woodward	Prin. High Sch. Science & Math.		*Tufts College
Regina Madden	Asst. High Sch. French & English		*Boston University
Margaret A. Barry	Asst. High Sch. Com'l Subjects		*Maltby Business School
Evelyn Stowe	Asst. High Sch. Latin & Hist.	Hudson, Mass.	*Vassar
Mary Finn	High Sch. Bldg. Grades V. & VI.	Southboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Gertrude L. Madden	High Sch. Bldg. Grade VIII.	289 Elm St. Marlboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Bridgewater, Mass.
Frances L. Brown	High Sch. Bldg. Grade VII.	Amesbury, Mass.	*Leominster High (Boston Univ.)
Helen Sullivan	High Sch. Bldg. Grades III & IV.	New Bedford, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Florence Bassett	High Sch. Bldg. Grades I. & II.	Worcester, Mass.	*State Normal School Worcester, Mass.
Margaret Neary	Fayville Primary Grades I.—III.	Southboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.

*Graduate of

Teachers in the Public Schools—Continued

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Julia F. Gleason	Prin. So. Union Sch. Grades VII. & VIII.	5 Thoreau St.. Concord, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Maisie I. Bliss	So. Union School Grades IV.—VI.	Marlboro, N. H.	High School. Keene, N. H.
Mary Reagan	So. Union School Grades I.—III.	Westboro, Mass	*State Normal School, Framingham, Mass
Mrs. Alice E. Brigham	Supervisor of Music	Northboro, Mass.	*New Eng'and Con- servatory of Music
Martha Tower	Special Teacher Domestic Arts	Hudson, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham, Mass.
Marguerite E. Peaslee	Drawing	Northboro, Mass.	
J. Augustus Prendiville	Manual Training	Worcester, Mass.	*Museum School Worcester, Mass.

*Graduate of

BOYS—MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, APRIL 1, 1923

AGE

	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
Grade 1	12	6	3	1	1										23
Grade 2		6	11	2											19
Grade 3		1	11	7	4	2									25
Grade 4				6	4	5	3	1							19
Grade 5					5	6	1		1						13
Grade 6						4	2	1							7
Grade 7						3	4	5	3						15
Grade 8							1	5	6	5					17
Grade 9								1	6	1	1				9
Grade 10									1	6	1				8
Grade 11										1	5	2			8
Grade 12											2	2			4
Total	12	13	25	16	14	20	10	13	17	13	9	4			166

GIRLS—MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, APRIL 1, 1923

AGE

	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
Grade 1	13	9													22
Grade 2	3	8	6	2											19
Grade 3		1	5	2											8
Grade 4				6	10	4			1						21
Grade 5				1	8	5	1								15
Grade 6						4	3	5	1						13
Grade 7							5	4	3	1					13
Grade 8						1	3	5	10	2	1				22
Grade 9						1		4	7	3	2				17
Grade 10									1	8	2	1			12
Grade 11										5	1	1			7
Grade 12										1	3	2	4	1	11
Total	16	18	11	11	18	15	12	18	23	20	9	4	4	1	180

GRADUATION EXERCISES
of the Class of 1923
PETER'S HIGH SCHOOL

PROGRAMME

MARCH

SABER SONG Text and Music by Frank Kotte
 High School Chorus

SALUTATORY Virginia Kent Proctor

CLASS HISTORY Catherine M. Carey

SONG, "The Rustic Dance" F. C. Macy
 High School Chorus

CLASS PROPHECY Fred L. Baker, Jr.

CLASS GIFT Elizabeth Hazel Misener

CLASS WILL William G. Quinn

ESSAY Ann Theresa Carey

PRESENTATION OF SENIOR PRIZES

SONG, "Sparkling Sunlight" Kathryn-Prescott Bemis
 High School Chorus

VALEDICTORY Geneva M. Jensen

ADDRESS Mr. Charles F. Choate, Jr.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

Mr. Charles A. Harris, Supt. of Schools

CLASS SONG

Words by Elizabeth Hazel Misener, Class of 1923

HONOR GRADUATES

Geneva M. Jensen

Ann Theresa Carey

Virginia Kent Proctor

Catherine E. Gralton

CLASS OF 1923

COLLEGE COURSE

Virginia Kent Proctor

COMMERCIAL COURSE

Ann Theresa Carey

Catherine E. Gralton

Catherine M. Carey

Charlotte E. Robbins

Elizabeth H. Misener

Richard H. Lincoln

Emma M. Trioli

William G. Quinn

Hilda J. Rogers

Fred L. Baker, Jr.

GENERAL COURSE

Charles W. Sawin

Ethel M. Maley

Geneva M. Jensen

CLASS COLORS

Purple and White

CLASS MOTTO

"Honor, Not Honors"

CLASS SONG

Tune, "Love's Old Sweet Song"

I.

Four years together, classmates we have tread,
And those four years how quickly they have sped.
Now we are gathered here to bid farewell.
And though we part our aching hearts can tell,
Of all the trials and joys we leave behind,
Now through a golden mist are brought to mind.

Chorus

Peters High we leave you with a heavy sigh,
For we know our school days now have all passed by.
Teachers now we bid you just a fond farewell,
Peters High and schoolmates farewell, farewell;
We bid you all Farewell.

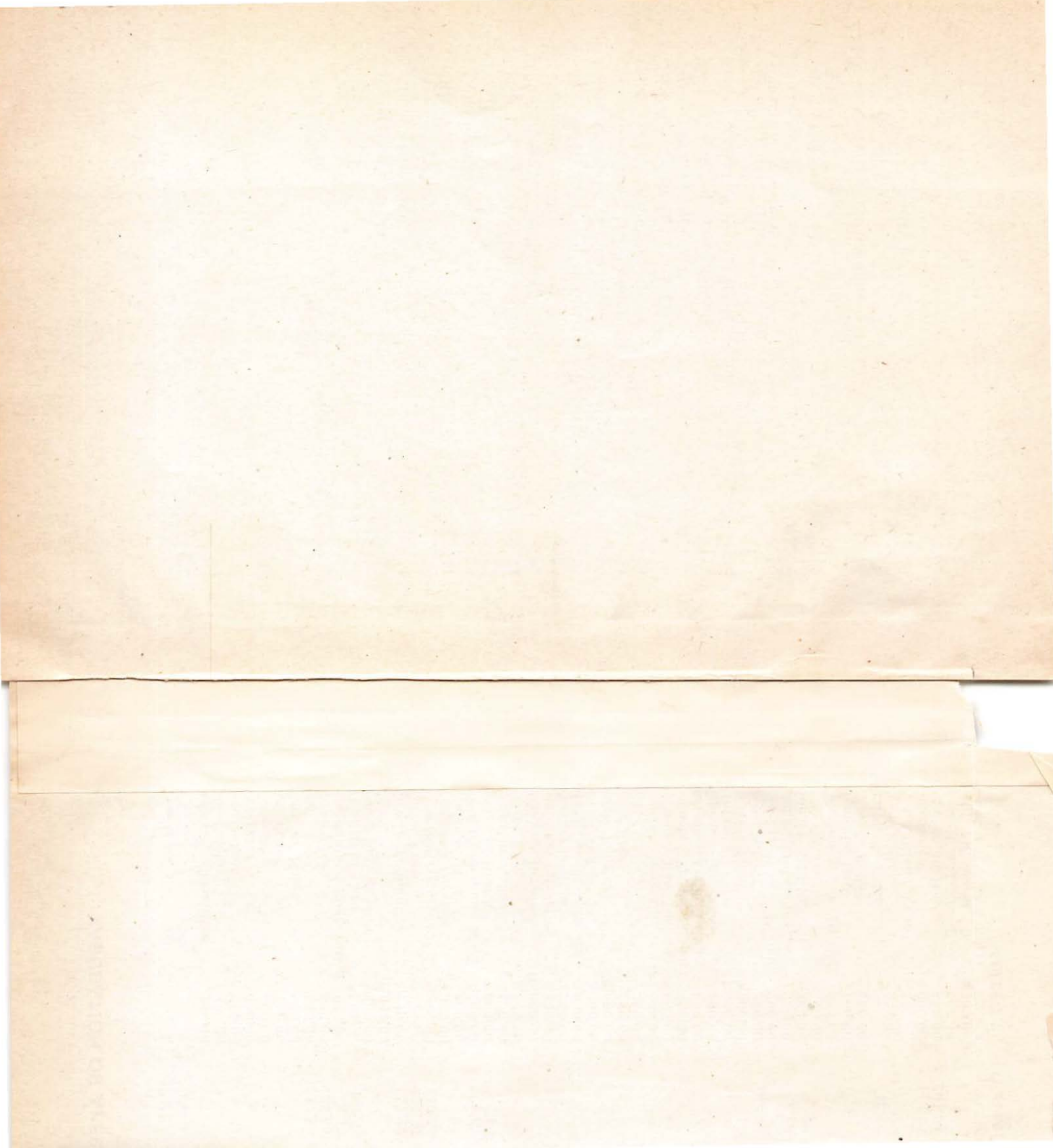
II.

Many the lesson we learned in High School,
"Honor, not honors" ever was our rule,
Those happy days are gone beyond recall,
Now comes the parting for us all.
But as forth into life we go,
We'll e'er remember our class motto.

Chorus

Words by E. Hazel Misener

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Collector's R
Deaths
Fay Library-
Fay Library-
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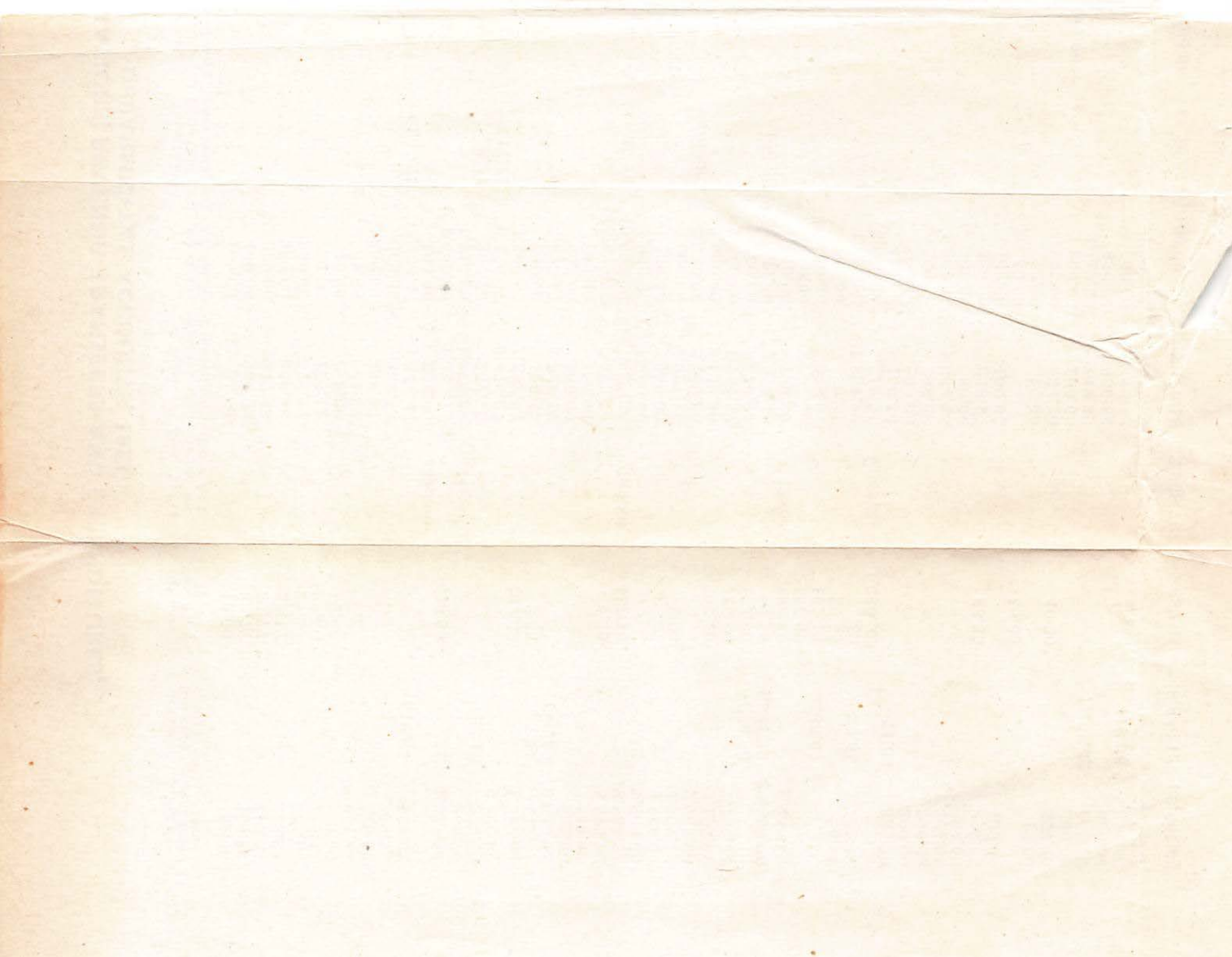
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TABULATION OF APPROPRIATION

Department	Appropriation	Received From Res. Fund
1 Advisory Committee	100.00	
2 Selectmen	400.00	
3 Accountant	250.00	
4 Treasurer	350.00	
5 Collector	500.00	
6 Assessors	750.00	
7 Cert. of Notes	10.00	
8 Law	850.00	11.88
9 Town Clerk	325.00	33.63
10 Election and Registration	225.00	43.33
11 Town Hall Care	1,000.00	132.72
12 Town Hall Repairs	300.00	
13 Police	2,000.00	
14 Fire Dept. Maint'ce	1,196.00	117.29
15 Forest Fires		255.34
16 Fire Dept. Equipment	8,910.00	119.55
17 Firemen's Services	1,360.00	
18 Sealer of W. & M.	200.00	
19 Tree Warden and Moth	3,500.00	24.67
20 Board of Health	500.00	5.00
21 Inspection Animals	100.00	
22 Street Lights	5,579.75	
23 Highway Repairs	10,000.00	
24 Highways—Tractor	1,800.00	
25 Parkerville Road	250.00	
26 Marlboro Rd.—Repair	5,000.00	
27 Street Oiling	2,000.00	
28 Snow Removal	2,500.00	
29 Poor Dept.	2,500.00	
30 State Aid	350.00	
31 Schools, Maintain.	32,519.00	
32 Schools—Man. Training	1,500.00	
33 Schools—Truant Support	150.00	
34 Schools—Trade Tuition	500.00	
35 Schools—Insurance	100.00	
36 Library	1,800.00	
37 Reserve Fund	3,000.00	
38 Fayville Hall	350.00	106.30
39 Purchase Land—Fayville	200.00	
40 Liability Insurance	350.00	6.28
41 Unpaid 1922 Bills	1,363.96	.39
42 Play Grounds	80.00	
43 Common and T. H. G'ds	325.00	
44 Memorial Day	100.00	
45 G. A. R. Relief	50.00	
46 Southville Pump		12.00
47 Town Reports	375.00	
48 P. J. O'Rielly Award		
49 Cemeteries	2,000.00	119.39
50 Interest on Debt	375.00	261.54
51 Interest on Loan—Rev.	500.00	
52 Debt Retirement	4,500.00	

\$102,943.71

\$1,249.31



ATIONS, REVENUE TRANSFERS AND EXPENDITURES, DEPARMENTAL ACCOUNTS, 1923

Previous Balance Available	Refunds and Transfers From Other Accounts	Total Amount Available	Total Amount of Expenditure	Amts. Trans- ferred to Other Ac'ts	Balances Dec. 31, 1923	Revenue Received 1923	Net Ex- penditure 1923
		100.00	81.00		19.00		81.00
		400.00	366.23		33.77		366.23
		250.00	217.23		32.77		217.23
		350.00	328.83		21.17		328.83
		500.00	478.77		21.23		478.77
		750.00	726.44		23.56		726.44
		10.00	8.00		2.00		8.00
		861.88	861.88				861.88
		358.63	358.63				358.63
		268.33	268.33				268.33
	305.75	1,438.47	1,438.47			510.85	927.62
		300.00	300.00	300.00			
		2,000.00	1,321.71		678.29		1,321.71
		1,313.29	1,313.29	449.53			863.76
	2.41	257.75	257.75			23.10	234.65
	447.12	9,476.67	9,476.67				9,476.67
		1,360.00	1,252.37		107.63		1,252.37
		200.00	196.35		3.65	25.34	171.01
	.50	3,525.17	3,525.17			682.25	2,842.92
		505.00	505.00				505.00
		100.00	100.00				100.00
		5,579.75	5,575.36		4.39		5,575.36
	35.20	10,035.20	9,624.07	789.86	411.13		8,834.21
		1,800.00	1,800.00				1,800.00
		250.00	250.00				250.00
		5,000.00	4,997.15		2.85		4,997.15
	789.86	2,789.86	2,789.86				2,789.86
		2,500.00	2,192.90		307.10		2,192.90
		2,500.00	1,784.34		715.66		1,784.34
		350.00	176.00		174.00	308.50	
	120.00	32,639.00	32,579.45		59.55	4,941.39	27,638.06
		1,500.00	700.20	120.00	799.80		580.20
		150.00			150.00		
		500.00	338.87		161.13	366.07	
		100.00	70.41		29.59		70.41
	1.90	1,801.90	1,801.38		.52	39.95	1,761.43
		3,000.00	1,249.31	1,249.31	1,750.69		
		456.30	456.30			71.00	385.30
		200.00	200.00				200.00
		356.28	356.28				356.28
		1,364.35	1,364.35				1,364.35
		80.00	80.00				80.00
		325.00	238.65		86.35		238.65
		100.00	100.00				100.00
		50.00			50.00		
		12.00	12.00				12.00
		375.00	334.70		40.30		334.70
00.00		200.00	200.00				200.00
		2,119.39	2,119.39			1,465.62	653.77
		636.54	636.54				636.54
		500.00	486.52		13.48	412.05	74.47
		4,500.00	4,500.00				4,500.00
200.00	\$1,702.74	106,095.76	100,396.15	2,908.70	5,699.61	8,846.12	88,801.03

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

WORCESTER, SS.

FEBRUARY 9, 1925.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the First Precinct of the said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House, in said Southborough, on

MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1925

and to notify the inhabitants of the Second Precinct of the said Town of Southborough qualified to vote in elections to meet in the South Union School on

MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1925

and to bring in their votes to the Election Officers of the respective precincts for: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Selectmen, (for three years); Assessor, (for three years); Overseer of the Poor, (for three years); Member of the School Committee, (for three years); Cemetery Commissioner, (for three years); Member of the Board of Health, (for three years); Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden, Three Members of Town House Committee, Five Constables, Two Trustees of Fay Library, (for three years); and Two Members of the Advisory Committee, (for three years). And to vote by ballot, Yes or No, on the questions: "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town"; "Shall the election of a highway surveyor be discontinued and the selectmen be authorized to appoint a Superintendent of Streets to take effect March 1st, 1926."

The Polls, in each precinct, will be opened at 6:30 o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

And to notify the inhabitants of said Town of Southborough qualified to vote in elections to assemble in a subsequent meeting in the Town House in said South-

borough on

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 9TH, 1925,
at 7:30 o'clock, to consider and act upon the following
articles of the

TOWN WARRANT

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To hear Reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Art. 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town's use and to pass any vote in respect to the same.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the majority of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 5. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money obtained from the licensing of dogs, amounting to \$615.87.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars to be expended by Post 44 of the Grand Army of the Republic for Memorial Day and decorating soldiers' graves.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 5, of the General Laws, or do or act thereon.

Art. 8. To see whether the Town will vote to increase the salaries of certain Town officers or do or act thereon.

Art. 9. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the planting and care of trees in a Town forest, or along the highways, or take any action in respect thereto.

Art. 10. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to install a gong connected with the telephone system for the police department, or do or act thereon.

Art. 11. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of four hundred (400) dollars for the purchase of gravel from the Metropolitan Water Board, or take any vote respecting same.

Art. 12. To see whether the Town will vote to establish any safety signals on the highways, or do or act thereon.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to erect permanent sign boards on the highways, or do or act thereon.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to buy road machinery and apparatus and to raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act thereon.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the election of constables by ballot.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of \$50. for playgrounds, or do or act thereon.

Art. 17. To see what disposition the Town will make of the Surplus War Bonus Fund amounting to \$1042.26.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money to pay an overdraft of \$124. of the Town House Committee, and pay the following unpaid bills of 1924:

Gypsy and browntail payroll	\$97.
Fire Dept., brooms	15.50

Art. 19. To see whether the Town will vote to expend a sum of money for the re-building or repairing of Cordaville Road, and raise and appropriate money for same, or do or act thereon.

Art. 20. To see whether the Town will vote to accept contributions from St. Mark's School and from the Fay School, in lieu of regular taxes, from which the schools are exempt, and what disposition the Town will make of said money, or do or act thereon.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum, not exceeding \$250., to pay to the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, in accordance with the provisions of, and for the purposes of, Chapter 128, General Laws, or for the support of demonstration work in Agriculture, Home Economics, or Boys' and Girls' Club Work, under the direction of the agent or instructors, or the Trustees, co-operating with local town director, or pass any vote or votes in relation thereto.

Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to choose a director in accordance with the provisions of Chapter

128, General Laws, or pass any vote or votes in relation thereto.

Art. 23. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the erection of a building to house any equipment and apparatus belonging to the Town, or pass any vote in relation thereto.

Art. 24. To see what disposition the Town will make of \$400. insurance received on the bath house.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of a majority of the selectmen, to borrow money for any of the appropriations named in this Warrant.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to repair the inside walls and ceilings of the High School building and to rebuild the outside steps at the three main entrances thereof, or do or act thereon.

Art. 27. To see if the Town will vote to put the swimming pool in proper condition and appropriate money therefor, or do or act thereon.

And you are to give notice hereof, by posting up true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, South Union School, Depots, Post Offices and three other Public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meetings.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the respective precinct wardens on or before or at the time and place of said meetings aforesaid and to the Town Clerk, as soon as may be before said subsequent meeting.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS this ninth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

RAYMOND H. OVESON,
JOSEPH B. CHOATE,
FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy. Attest:

Constable

February , 1925.

FIFTY-FIRST
ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Town Officers
OF
Southborough, Massachusetts
For the Year Ending December 31
1924



SOUTHBOROUGH PRINT SHOP
SOUTHBOROUGH, MASSACHUSETTS

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT For 1924

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The financial report for the twelve months ending December 31, 1924, follows.

The accounts of the Treasurer, Tax Collector and Cemetery Commissioners have been examined and checked and were found to be correct.

Approximately \$7,000 of unexpended balances from several appropriations has been returned to treasury, but it was necessary, on the other hand, to transfer about \$1,600 from the Reserve Fund to other appropriations that were insufficient to cover expenditure and in the case of the Town Hall, due to increased expenses for fuel and lighting, there shows an overdraft of \$124.00 for which no funds have been provided, although the bills have been paid.

The salary of the Tree Warden, amounting to \$25.00, and payroll for moth work, amounting to \$97.00, have not been paid and are being held until funds to pay same has been provided.

Indications point strongly to a decided increase in the State Tax this year of 1925 and it appears likely that considerable of the reimbursements that the town has in the past years been receiving from the State for

such items as Mother's Aid, Vocation Education and other expenditure of this kind will be greatly reduced if the recommendations already made to the State Legislature becomes the law.

Accordingly there would seem to be but little hope of our making any reduction in the tax rate unless we are prepared to cut down appropriations for many accounts or by greatly increased efficiency in operations and by more carefully planned expenditure in others.

It is absolutely necessary that those in direct charge of expending appropriations keep closely informed as to balances of appropriations available from time to time, so as to be sure to avoid incurring expense for amounts in excess of the total appropriations as made.

All bills for payment must in every case be properly listed on proper form or payroll and approved by a majority of the committee or board and sent in to this office not later than the Thursday evening, preceding the first and third Friday of each month. Failure to carefully comply with this requirement may cause a delay of two to three weeks in having such bills or payrolls paid promptly.

It is more and more important to caution all department heads to send in original bills only, these to have complete detail of the transaction or purchase, as no payment will be made on statements.

There is no good reason why any town bill of any department, if properly rendered and approved, is not paid promptly.

The cash balances on hand at the end of the year totalled \$25,106.75, against which it will be noted from the balance sheet, there are liability accounts amounting in all to \$11,025.59, which leaves a net cash balance in the Treasurer's hands amounting to \$14,081.16 available for general use.

The disposition of some of the liability accounts above referred to should be covered by special articles in the annual Town Warrant.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. BAGLEY,

Town Accountant

RECEIPTS, 1924

TAXES

Taxes of 1924:

Poll	\$1,084.00	
Personal	22,145.63	
Real Estate	59,756.80	\$82,986.43

Taxes of 1923:

Poll	230.50	
Personal	322.98	
Real Estate	6,395.49	6,948.97

Taxes of 1922:

Poll	10.00	
Personal	46.89	
Real Estate	463.31	520.20 \$90,455.60

FROM STATE

General Revenue:

Metro. W. and S. Bd.	2,980.35
Bank Tax, 1924	971.44
Corp. Tax, 1924	4,789.87
Income Tax, 1924	7,952.23

Street R. R. Tax, 1924	7.77	
Corp. Tax, 1923	165.53	
Income Tax, 1923	357.50	
Income Tax, 1922	123.67	
Bank Tax, 1923	225.08	17,513.44
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LICENSES

Receipts for:

Junk	10.00	
Hawkers	12.00	22.00
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PERMITS

Receipts for:

Pipe permit, Deerfoot		50.00
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FINES

Receipts for:

Court		95.00
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GRANTS AND GIFTS

From State, for:

Union Supt. Schools	757.79	
Vocational Education	164.08	
Training Schools	170.00	1,091.87
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From County, for:

Dog Licenses		615.87
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From Other Sources:

St. Mark's School	1,500.00	
Fay School	1,820.00	3,320.00
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SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

Receipts from Moth Assessments:

1924	89.44	
1923	10.66	
1922	10.46	110.56
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From Private Spraying:

1924	385.47		
1922	12.00	397.47	508.03
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GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Receipts from:

Town Hall, rentals	429.50
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PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Receipts from:

Sealer of Weights and M., fees	22.97
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Forest Fires:

Reimbursements	44.01
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Forestry Dept.:

Sale of Lead	27.60
Private Spraying	120.15

Planting and Trim. Trees	69.00		
State Highway Work	87.70	304.45	371.43
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CHARITIES

Receipts from			
Commonwealth of Mass.:			
Mother's aid			639.00

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Receipts from			
Commonwealth of Mass.:			
State Aid, paid 1923		176.00	
Soldiers' Exemptions		59.04	235.04
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EDUCATION

Receipts from			
Commonwealth of Mass.:			
Tuition		1,010.00	
From School Dept.:			
Sale, books, supplies	164.96		
Rent of Hall	10.00	174.96	
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From other Towns:			
Tuition		399.00	1,583.96
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LIBRARIES

Receipts from		
Librarian:		
Fines	43.50	
Sale books	2.90	46.40
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UNCLASSIFIED

Receipts from		
Fayville Hall:		
For rentals	85.00	
From Selectmen:		
Insurance on Bath House	400.00	
Sale of Old Town Equipment	99.00	584.00
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CEMETERIES

Receipts from		
Cemetery Commissioners:		
Care Lots and Graves	639.25	
Burials	251.00	
Sale of Lots and Graves	300.00	1,190.25
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From Trust Fund Lot Interest:		
Charges for care	651.00	1,841.25
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INTEREST

Receipts from:

General Balances	330.35	
1924 Tax Account	135.71	
1923 Tax Account	283.92	
1922 Tax Account	58.11	808.09
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Trust Funds:

Perpetual Care Deposits	629.18		
Fay Library Funds	64.68		
Willson Fund	60.00		
Rural Cem. Reserve Fund	23.52	777.38	1,585.47
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Total of Revenue account receipts, forwarded \$120,987.86

NON REVENUE RECEIPTS FOR 1924

Receipts from	
Municipal Indebtedness:	
Temporary Loans, ant. taxes	\$40,000.00

AGENCY

Receipts from:

State Tax (\$5,500.00)

County Tax (\$4,470.00)

Highway Tax (\$738.20)

Above amounts are included in the totals
of General Taxes.

TRUST

Receipts from	
Cemetery Dept.:	
Perpetual Care Deposits	800.00

REFUNDS

Receipts from	
Comm. of Mass.:	
Civ. War Poll Tax, 1923	267.00
Grade Crossing Fund Int.	1.29
War Bonus Fund	1,042.26
	1,310.55

From Rural Cem. Res. Fund:
Cemetery Dept. 85.00

From Selectmen:
Rebate on Town Hall Ins. 3.10

From Departmental:
Excess payment, express .80 88.90 1,399.45

TRANSFERS

Received from

Reserve Fund, for:

Assessors	19.97	
Cert. of Notes	8.00	
Election and Reg.	112.85	
Town Hall	191.97	
Fire Dept., Maintain	8.12	
Forest Fires	660.62	
Fire Dept., Add. Ins.	80.09	
Sealer of W. & M.	56.66	
Tree Warden and Moth	2.05	
Board of Health	42.00	
Snow Removal	5.94	
School Insurance	117.22	
Library	3.91	
Fayville Hall grading	4.09	
Special Survey	23.50	
Liability Insurance	64.76	
Swimming Pool	12.50	
Common and T. H. Gds.	13.47	
Int. on Temp. Loans	119.37	1,547.09

Fire Dept., Spec. Rep.:		
New Equipment	1,050.00	
Bridge Repairs:		
Highways	397.55	
Highways:		
Snow Removal	650.24	
Rural Cemetery Res. Funds:		
Cemetery	85.00	3,729.88
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BALANCES

Amounts on hand, Jan. 1, 1924:

General Cash	18,685.59	
Fay Library Fund, cash	16.43	
Willson Charity Fund, cash	192.33	
Rural Cemetery Res. Fund, cash	1,067.24	19,961.59
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Total of all Non Revenue receipts for 1924 \$65,890.92

Total of Revenue Receipts for 1924, brought forward	120,987.86
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Total of all receipts and balances for 1924	\$186,878.78
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PAYMENTS FOR 1924

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Advisory Committee:

Printing reports	87.90	
Postage	5.60	
Clerical Hire	2.00	95.50

Selectmen's Dept.:

Salaries and Wages		
Selectmen	300.00	
Clerk	50.00	
Other Expense		
Printing and sta.	25.38	
Transportation	21.50	
Telephone	3.00	399.88

Accounting Dept.:

Salaries and Wages		
Accountant	200.00	
Other Expense		
Postage	5.00	
Printing and sta.	7.85	212.85

Treasurer's Dept.:		
Salaries and Wages		
Treasurer	200.00	
Other Expense		
Bonding	40.00	
Postage	23.08	
Printing and sta.	61.92	
Transportation	10.00	335.00

Collector's Dept.:		
Salaries and Wages		
Collector	500.00	
Other Expense		
Postage	32.12	
Printing and sta.	21.87	
Bonding	100.00	
Advertising	3.60	657.59

Assessors' Dept.:		
Salaries and Wages		
Assessors	577.50	
Other Expense		
Postage	9.75	
Printing and sta.	99.90	
750 Reports	287.00	
Abstracts	20.82	994.97

Other Finance:

Certification of Notes		8.00
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Law Dept.:

Salaries and Wages

Town Counsel	480.00	
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Other Expense

Special Printing	72.85	
Travel	5.73	
Telephone	4.15	
Newton Street Taking	25.00	587.73

Town Clerk's Dept.:

Salaries and Wages

Town Clerk	250.00	
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Other Expense

Postage	5.10	
Printing and sta.	2.40	

Recording Fees

Death Returns	4.50	
Birth Returns	33.75	
Marriages	10.50	
Death Cert.	14.00	320.25

Election and Reg. Dept.:

Salaries and Wages

Registrars of Voters	80.00	
Election Officers	397.75	

Other Expense

Printing and sta.	203.10	
Transportation	2.50	
Meals	61.50	
Posting Warrants	18.00	762.85

Town Hall Dept.:
Salaries and Wages

Caretaker	640.60
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Other Expense

Fuel	558.84
Light	115.25
Insurance	98.00
Janitor's supplies	6.65

Repairs

New Screens	124.00	
Hot Water Supply	102.00	
Other Repairs	70.63	1,715.97

Total of General Government Payments \$6,090.59

PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Police Dept.:
Salaries and Wages

Regular Officer	1,800.00
Constables	54.50
Court Expense	5.01

Dog Officer	8.00	
Other Expense		
Transportation	34.50	
Officers' supplies	1.40	1,903.41

Fire Dept.:		
Salaries and Wages		
Officers	330.00	
Men	870.00	
Caretakers	300.00	1,500.00

Maintenance		
Fuel	329.25	
Light	22.25	
Supplies	117.38	
Misc. Repairs	35.69	
Equip., Repairs	622.78	
Snow Removal	1.50	
Rent, Hydrant Locat'n	5.00	
Southville Water A'nt	11.00	
Lunches	31.52	
Printing	5.75	1,182.12

Insurance		
On Bldgs. and Equip.		194.09

New Equipment:

1,000 ft. Hose	735.00	
4 Gal. Cans	18.00	
Hose Coupling, etc.	63.00	
Badges	9.00	
Other Equip.	18.00	
New Pump. System	165.00	
Other Repairs	77.85	
5 Pump Tanks	50.00	
700 ft. pipe and lay'g	535.20	
2 Larkin Valves	80.00	
1 Siamese Con.	20.00	
Southville Water Line	168.60	
Southville Trench	154.00	
Coat Straps	7.80	2,101.45

Special Repairs

Southboro Fire House floor	175.00	
Repairs to Door	9.90	
Fayville Fire House, floor and roof	185.00	
Southville Fire House, floor	100.00	
Other Repairs	43.90	
Labor	9.00	522.80

Forest Fires:

Labor	778.69	
Transportation	48.35	
Equipment and Repairs	49.21	
Lunches	18.81	
Supplies	15.56	910.62

Special New Equipment:

Equipment	95.50
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Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Salaries and Wages

Sealer	75.00
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Other Expense

Travel	25.00	
Insurance on equip.	73.09	
Rent of office	75.00	
Equipment and sup.	8.57	256.66

Forestry:

Salaries and Wages

Tree Warden (not paid)

Tree Warden Dept.

Labor	1,494.26	
Equipment and Rep.	23.10	
Supplies	14.82	1,532.18

Gypsy and Moth Work:

Labor	1,317.12	
Teams	190.00	
Lead	346.65	
Equipment	67.14	
Other Supplies	48.96.	1,969.87
Special Equipment		
Motor Log Saw		168.15

Total Payments for Protection of Property \$12,336.85

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health:

Salaries and Wages

Board of Health	75.00
Clerk	10.00

Other Expense

State Infirmary	640.00	725.00
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Inspection:

Animals	100.00
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Total Payments for Health and Sanitation \$825.00

HIGHWAYS

Administration:

Salaries and Wages

Surveyor, \$5 per day 536.00

Other Expense

Use of auto, \$1 per day 69.00

General Repairs

Labor	5,712.75	
Teams	2,244.38	
Stone, gravel, cement, pipe	618.28	
Equip. and repairs	463.05	
Cold patch oil	140.00	
Tractor repairs	148.06	
Other Supplies	101.59	
Coal (1923 account)	86.41	
Carpenter's labor	14.20	10,133.72
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Bridge Repairs

Labor	26.00	26.00
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Snow Removal

Supervision	124.00	
Labor	694.75	
Teams	274.53	
Equip. and repairs	49.09	
Supplies	7.87	
Freight charges	5.94	1,156.18
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Street Lighting

Contract		5,130.76
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Traffic Signal Beacon

Signal	267.50	
Expense	15.09	282.59

Fayville, Cordaville, Southville

Sidewalks		
Supervision	30.00	
Labor	263.31	
Teams	195.14	
Auto	6.00	494.45

Street Oiling

6,750 gals. No. 6 Rd.		
Oil	742.50	
5,519 gals. Tarvia B.	772.66	
20,363 gals. 45 % Rd.		
Oil	1,824.63	3,339.79

Boston Road Sidewalk

Labor	683.00	
Teams	199.52	
Survey	24.26	
Repairs and equip.	20.75	
Supplies	23.50	951.03

Fence Repairs

Labor	167.00	
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Lumber, posts, wire, etc.	115.55	282.55
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Newton Street Widening

Supervision	60.00	
Labor	394.45	
Teams	282.63	
Surveying	40.00	
Damage award	350.00	
Cement and Tile	90.19	
Gravel	20.25	1,237.52

Total of All Highway Payments	\$23,034.59
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CHARITIES—SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Poor Dept.:

Administration

Overseers	200.00
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Other Expense

Travel	2.00	
Board and care	765.60	
Mothers' Aid	416.00	
Medical Services	31.50	
Burial Expense	30.00	
Fuel	8.30	1,453.40

Soldiers' Benefits,	
State Aid	
Cash Paid	90.00
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Total Charities and Soldiers' Benefits	
Payments	\$1,543.40

EDUCATION

School Department:
Administration

Salaries

School Committee	300.00	
Superintendent	1,200	
Attendance Officer	23.10	1,523.10
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Other Expense

Travel exp., Supt.	140.34	
Printing and sta.	82.96	
Telephone	45.80	
Other travel exp.	2.46	
Exp. and Ctg. Chgs.	17.21	
School Census	25.00	313.77
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Teachers

Salaries

High School	7,834.25
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Elementary	11,703.47	
Music	280.00	
Drawing	299.97	
Domestic Sci.	720.00	20,837.69
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Pupil Teachers		
Carfares		39.36
Maintenance,		
Books		
High School	460.74	
Elementary	609.11	
Supplies		
High School	400.34	
Elementary	430.97	
Domestic Sci.	69.83	1,970.99
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Tuition		
Continuation School		9.68
Transportation		
Automobiles	3,102.00	
Electric Cars	1,350.00	4,452.00
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Janitor Services		
High School	1,303.66	
Elementary	1,424.40	2,728.06
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Fuel and Light

Fuel	3,878.75	
Light	132.33	4,011.08

Buildings and Grounds

High School

General Repairs	599.47	
Janitor's Supplies	124.97	
50 Window Shades	395.00	
Other Supplies	32.94	1,152.38

Elementary

General Repairs	266.41	
Janitor's Supplies	78.15	
Care Grounds, Fayetteville	33.00	
Cement, gravel, lab.	35.00	
Other Supplies	28.50	441.06

Furniture and Furnishings

95 Desks and Seats	1,076.30	
Typewriter	105.00	
Other Equipment	109.77	1,291.07

Graduation Expense

Diplomas and Printing	28.33
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Health

Inspections

Medical	100.00	
Dental	100.00	200.00

School Nurse

Salary	574.00	
Supplies	18.40	592.40

Other Expense

Work Certificates	25.00	
Notary fees	2.25	
All other expense	2.00	29.25

Insurance

On School Property	695.41	
On Barge Liability	483.00	1,178.41

\$40,798.63

Trade Schools

Tuition paid		282.16
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Manual Training

Salaries

Teacher	1,532.00
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Other Expense

Equipment	25.72	
Supplies	242.11	
All Other expense	28.34	1,828.17

Special Sanitary—Heating

Contracts

Plumbing	1,730.53	
Painting	219.27	
Construction	20.52	1,970.32

Special Water Supply

South Union School

Excavations	340.51	
Plumbing Contract		
Account	659.49	1,000.00

Caps for Stacks

South Union School

Contract		263.40
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Special Fire Protection

Contracts

Architect	45.00	
Construction	1,728.21	
Lighting	298.16	
Fire Extinguishers	83.70	2,155.07

Total of all payments for Education, 1924 \$48,297.75

LIBRARIES

Library Dept.

Salaries and Wages

Librarian	502.02
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Assistants	78.70	
Janitors	343.24	923.96
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Books and Periodicals		
Books		182.75
Transportation		
Books		56.00
Bindings		
Books, etc.		45.80
Other Expense		
Printing and sta.	10.50	
Express charges	2.87	13.37
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Buildings and Grounds		
Janitor's Supplies	9.42	
Repairs	32.07	
Care of Grounds	30.25	
Fayville Repairs	14.78	86.52
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Fuel and Light		
Fuel	307.67	
Light	87.84	395.51
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Special Repairs		
Roof Repairs		
Construction	1,397.09	
Plumbing	356.68	

Supplies	1,995.00	
Waterproofing	9.00	
Painting and Clean.	338.30	
Architect	25.00	
Express charges	5.49	
Masonry	36.40	
Other labor	16.00	
Transportation	1.00	
New Curtains	109.91	2,314.82
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Total of all Library Payments		\$4,018.73

UNCLASSIFIED

Fayville Hall

Salaries and Wages

Janitors	154.42	
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Other Expense

Fuel	153.79	
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Light	35.94	344.15
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Grading

Labor	82.00	
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Teams	43.00	
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Pipe	27.50	
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Supplies	1.59	154.09
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Memorial Day

Band	40.00	
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Flags	15.00	
Flowers	24.00	
Transportation	11.00	
Markers	10.00	100.00
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Documents		
Town Reports		
Printing 650	328.00	
Distribution	12.50	340.50
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Special Survey		
Near Southboro Depot		23.50
Special Fire-Water Report		
Unpaid 1923 account		119.50
Liability Insurance		
Premiums paid		421.04
Care of S. Pool		
Insurance Bath House		12.50
G. A. R. Relief		
Cash Paid		20.00
General Town Insurance		
Spec. Condition Sheets		46.50
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Total of Unclassified Accounts, Payments		\$1,581.78

RECREATION

Common and Town House Gds.

Caretaker	244.00	
Equipment	6.00	
Repairs to flag and pole	6.62	
Town Pump		
Repairs	6.85	
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Total Payments for Recreation		263.47

CEMETERIES

Administration

Salaries and Wages

Commissioners	50.00
Superintendent	250.00
Labor payroll	1,792.00

Other Expense

Postage and sta.	10.34	
Equipment	18.75	
Cement	4.75	
Supplies	14.85	
Seed, fertilizer	142.80	
All other	1.12	2,284.61
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Trust Fund Lots

Charge for 1924 care	651.00
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Total of All Payments for Cemeteries	2,935.61
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INTEREST

Interest paid on

Temporary Loans	719.37
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Marlboro Road Loan	100.00	
Stone Crusher Loan	60.00	
Fire Engine Loan	84.75	964.12

Payments from Trust and Inv. Fund
Income

Rural Cemetery Res.		
Fund	173.00	
Fay Library	69.26	242.26

Total payment for Interest \$1,206.38

Total of All Revenue Accounts Carried
Forward \$102,134.15

NON-REVENUE ACCOUNT PAYMENTS

Municipal Indebtedness

Temp. Revenue Loans	40,000.00
Stone Crusher Loan	900.00
Marlboro Rd. Loan	2,500.00
Fire Engine Loan	1,000.00

Total Payments of Indebtedness 44,400.00

AGENCY AND TRUST

Agency

For payment of

State Tax	5,500.00	
County Tax	4,470.00	
State Highway Tax	738.20	10,708.20

Trust and Investment

Perpetual Care Funds

Deposits invested	800.00
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Total for Agency and Trust Payments	\$11,508.20
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REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

Transfers:

Departmental,

Reserve Fund to

Assessors	19.97	
Cert. Notes	8.00	
Elect. Reg.	112.85	
Town Hall	191.97	
Fire Dept. Maint.	8.12	
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Common and T. H.		
Gds.	13.47	
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Fire Dept. Spec. Rep. to		
New Equipment Account	1,050.00	
Bridge Repairs to		
Highways	397.55	
Highways to		
Snow Removal Account	650.24	
Rural Cemetery Res. Fund to		
Cemetery	85.00	
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Total of all Transfers		3,729.88

BALANCES

Balances on hand

As of December 31, 1924 (at close of books)

General Cash	\$23,624.61	
Willson Charity Fund, cash	252.33	
Fay Library Fund, cash	11.85	
Rural Cemetery, Comm. Res.		
Fund	1,217.76	
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Total of All Balances		\$25,106.55
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Total of All Non-Revenue Accounts and		
Bals. for 1924		\$84,744.63
Total of Revenue Accounts Payments,		
brought forward		102,134.15
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Total of All Payments and Balances for		
1924		\$186,878.78

TRIAL BALANCES, JANUARY 1, 1925

General Cash	\$23,624.61	
Willson Charity Fund, cash	252.33	
Fay Library Fund, cash	11.85	
Rural Cemetery Res. Fund, cash	1,217.76	
Comm. of Mass. State Aid	90.00	
1924 Dog Fund Receipts		\$615.87
Insurance Bath House		400.00
Surplus War Bonus Fund		1,042.26
Cemetery Accounts, rec.	164.50	
1923 Taxes	747.54	
1923 Moth Assess.	4.58	
1924 Taxes	10,327.28	
1924 Moth Assess.	12.79	
1924 Spraying	121.54	
Overlay Reserve Fund		1,462.78
1923 Overlay		250.86
1924 Overlay		294.56
Excess and Deficiency		25,673.39
Town Hall, overdraft	124.00	
Fire Dept., New Equip.		2,598.55
Cord. Rd. Special Rep.		2,500.00
Willson Charity Fund, Inc.		252.33
Fay Library Fund, Inc.		11.85
Rural Cemetery Res. Fund, Inc.		1,217.76
Interest on Cemetery Tr. Funds		378.57
Net Bonded Debt.	1,000.00	
Fire Engine Loan		1,000.00

Trust Funds, Cash and Securities	15,225.00	
Fay Library Trust Fund		1500.00
Willson Charity Fund		1,000.00
Cemetery Trust Funds		12,725.00
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	\$52,923.78	\$52,923.78

TOWN OF SOUTHBOROUGH, BALANCE SHEET, JANUARY 1, 1925

REVENUE

ASSETS ACCOUNT			LIABILITY ACCOUNTS		
Cash in banks:			1924 Dog Fund	\$615.87	
General Balance	\$23,624.61		Bath House Insurance	400.00	
Fay Fund, cash	11.85		Surplus War Bonus Fund	1,042.26	
Willson Fund, cash	252.33		Fire Dept., New Equip.	2,598.55	
Rural Cemetery, cash	1,217.96	\$25,106.75	Cordaville Rd. Spec. Rep.	2,500.00	
Accounts receivable:				\$7,156.68	
1923 Taxes	747.54		Overlay Reserve Fund	\$1,462.78	
1923 Moth Assess.	4.58		1923 Overlay	250.86	
1924 Taxes	10,327.28		1924 Overlay	294.56	2,008.20
1924 Moth Assess.	12.79				
1924 Spraying	121.54	11,213.73	Balances:		
			Willson Fund, Inc.	252.33	
Cemetery Dept.:			Fay Fund, Inc.	11.85	
Accounts receivable		164.50	Rural Cem. Res., Inc.	1,217.96	1,482.14
Comm. of Mass., for:					
State Aid, 1924		90.00	Cemetery Trust Funds,		
Town Hall Account,			Interest		378.57
Overdraft		124.00	Surplus of Revenue,		
			Excess and Deficiency		25,673.39
		\$36,698.98			\$36,698.98

DEBT STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1925

LOANS	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1924	Borrowed in 1924	Paid 1924	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1925	Due 1925	Interest Due 1925	
Revenue Loans		\$40,000	\$40,000				
Fire Engine	2,000		1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	Jan. 1-July 1	41
Crusher-Tractor	900		900				
Marlboro Road	2,500		2,500				
	\$5,400	\$40,000	\$44,000	\$1,000	\$1,000		

INDEBTEDNESS

Net Bonded Debt	\$1,000.00	Town Debt	
		Fire Engine Loan	\$1,000.00
	<u>\$1,000.00</u>		<u>\$1,000.00</u>

TRUST FUNDS

Trust Funds:		Cemetery Trust Funds	\$12,725.00
Cash and Securities	\$15,225.00	Fay Library Fund	1,500.00
		Willson Charity Fund	1,000.00
	<u>\$15,225.00</u>		<u>\$15,225.00</u>

DETAIL OF INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

NAME OF COMPANY	POLICY NO.	PROPERTY INSURED	AMOUNT	PREMIUM	EXPIRES
New Hampshire	156,154	Fayville Hall	1,000	27.50	Jan. 1, '25
Boston	6,751	Southville Fire	1,750	18.55	Jan. 17, '25
Boston	6,752	Southboro Fire	3,000	25.50	Jan. 17, '25
Firemen's Fund	B1,408,040	So. Union School	10,000	167.50	Jan. 2, '25
Hartford	21,065	Town Hall	3,000	64.50	Feb. 17, '25
Aetna	2,695	Town Hall	2,000	43.00	Mar. 1, '25
Boston	2,290,017	Town Hall	3,000	75.90	Mar. 1, '25
Springfield	3,145	Town Hall	2,000	43.00	Mar. 10, '25
Traveller'	UB-3,736,744	Liability Insurance		360.77	Apr. 8, '23
Sun	A292,924	High School	5,000	117.50	Apr. 10, '25
Aetna	2,704	Horse Sheds	1,500	23.55	Apr. 21, '25
No. British	28,505	Fire Eng. House	1,500	31.80	May 11, '25
Boston	2,290,019	High School	1,750	49.88	May 25, '25
Boston	2,290,020	Fayville School	2,500	58.75	May 28, '25
Firemen's Fund	1,566,266	Fayville Hall	5,400	161.60	Apr. 23, '26
Royal	734,051	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May 22, '26
The Home	4,198	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May 22, '26
No. America	430,733	So. Union School	1,375	23.47	May 22, '26
Hartford	2,957	Town Hall	2,600	67.82	Nov. 14, '26
No. British	76,054	Town Hall	2,600	67.82	Nov. 14, '26

DETAIL OF INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

Firemen's Fund	1,711,824	High School	3,250	55.31	Feb.	1, '27
Firemen's Fund	1,711,848	Town Hall	2,000	50.60	Mar.	1, '27
Sun Ins. Co.	853,358	Sealer W. & M.	700	34.13	Mar.	1, '27
Firemen's Fund	1,714,831	Bath House	500	12.50	July	1, '27
Girard	715,001	Fayville Hall	2,200	105.68	Apr.	29, '27
State of Penn.	5,045	So. Union School	2,750	75.10	May	23, '27
Girard	715,003	So. Union School	2,750	75.10	May	23, '27
Globe & Rutgers	3,240,757	General Town	50,000	987.50	Jan..	1, '28
Home Ins.	242	General Town	2,000	39.50	Jan.	1, '28
Firemen's Fund	1,721,617	General Town	62,000	1,224.50	Jan.	2, '28
Boston Ins.	6,771	General Town	4,750	93.81	Jan.	17, '28
Boston	2,290,050	Southville Eng. H.	850	36.04	Jan.	17, '29
Penn.	1,033,618	High School	7,500	282.00	Jan.	30, '28
Boston	6,753	High School	2,500	94.00	Jan.	30, '29

SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen (3)	\$300.00
Selectmen's Clerk	50.00
Accountant	200.00
Treasurer	200.00
Collector	500.00
Assessors (\$3.50 per day)	
Town Clerk	250.00
Registrar of Voters	80.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures (including \$25.00 for expense)	100.00
Tree Warden	25.00
Board of Health (3)	75.00
Highway Surveyor (\$5.00 per day) (For not more than 200 working days)	
Poor Department (3)	200.00
School Committee (3)	300.00
Cemetery Commissioners (3)	50.00
Inspector of Animals	100.00
	<hr/> \$2,430.00

TOWN OFFICERS, 1924

TOWN CLERK

Charles L. Fairbanks

TREASURER

Thomas E. Waldron

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Seth H. Howes

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Charles E. Bagley

SELECTMEN

Joseph B. Choate	Term expires March, 1925
Raymond H. Oveson	Term expires March, 1926
Francis D. Newton	Term expires March, 1927

ASSESSORS

Francis McNeil	Term expires March, 1925
Edward F. Collins	Term expires March, 1926
George F. Field	Term expires March, 1927

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Albert Beaton	Term expires March, 1925
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Paul S. Lincoln	Term expires March, 1926
Daniel F. Harrington	Term expires March, 1927

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Samuel Clark	Term expires March, 1925
Charles H. Newton	Term expires March, 1926
Frederick C. Staples	Term expires March, 1927

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Francis D. Newton	Term expires March, 1925
Adelbert E. Collins	Term expires March, 1926
Patrick M. Salmon	Term expires March, 1927

BOARD OF HEALTH

Thomas P. Lindsay	Term expires March, 1925
Carl R. Lindstrom	Term expires March, 1926
John L. Bacon	Term expires March, 1927

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

William A. Gould

TREE WARDEN

Harry Burnett

TOWN HOUSE COMMITTEE

William Duncan	Albert E. Hutt
Joseph Ould	

CONSTABLES

Charles C. Hildreth	Daniel F. Kelley
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Alfred W. Howes
Francis D. Newton

Joseph T. Ould
Thomas P. Thompson

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY

James P. Curran	Term expires March, 1925
Paul S. Lincoln	Term expires March, 1925
John J. Lockett	Term expires March, 1926
Catherine S. Oveson	Term expires March, 1926
Charles L. Fairbanks	Term expires March, 1927
Thomas P. Lindsay	Term expires March, 1927

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Edgar M. Smith	Term expires March, 1925
Harry B. Spurr	Term expires March, 1925
George H. Burnett	Term expires March, 1926
Charles F. Choate, III.	Term expires March, 1926
Walter Brewer	Term expires March, 1927
James G. Stockwell	Term expires March, 1927

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK

D. Clinton Nichols	Nathan F. Wadsworth
Paul S. Lincoln	William T. Aiken

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER

D. Clinton Nichols	Paul S. Lincoln
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PUBLIC WEIGHERS

D. Clinton Nichols	John Sealey
Mary E. Fitzgerald	

FIELD DRIVERS

Lawrence I. Misener	James D. Geoghegan
James F. Telfer, Jr.	Charles H. Holmes

POUND KEEPER

Thomas Hayden

FENCE VIEWERS

John D. C. Bradley	Charles F. Leland
Thomas P. Lindsay	Raymond H. Oveson

WEIGHERS OF COAL

D. Clinton Nichols	Edward C. Nichols
John Sealey	

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Charles L. Fairbanks

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

William H. Onthank

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Eugene Closson

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Charles L. Fairbanks	Mary E. Maley (Resigned)
Thomas F. O'Donnell	Herbert W. Schnare

LIST OF JURORS, 1925

As prepared by the Selectmen of Southborough, in accordance with Chapter
234 of the General Laws

Bradley, John D. C.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Sears Rd.
Burnett, George H.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Deerfoot Rd.
Choate, Joseph B.	Broker	Southboro	Main St.
Draper, Allen H.	Carpenter	Fayville	Winter St.
Eaton, Harris D.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Rd.
Green, Walter	Farmer	Southboro	Woodland Rd.
Ladd, Harry L.	Overseer	Cordaville	Cottage St.
Lindsay, Thomas P.	Farmer	Southboro	Main St.
Ould, Joseph T.	Gardener	Southboro	Main St.
Smith, Erwin E.	Electrician	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.
Spurr, Harry B.	Farmer	Marlboro	Northboro Rd.
Staples, Frederick C.	Teacher	Southboro	Cordaville Rd.
Stivers, Harold W.	Salesman	Southboro	Sears Rd.
Stivers, Warren W.	Clerk	Southboro	Main St.
Toombs, Amos J.	Chauffeur	Southboro	Cordaville Rd.
Uhlman, Douglas	Farmer	Fayville	Central St.

Wadsworth, Nathan F. Merchant
Wells, Edward C. Farmer
Wells, Fred H. Clerk
Wrye, Wallace M. Painter
Young, Harry W. Merchant

Fayville
Southboro
Fayville
Fayville
Southboro

Turnpike Rd.
Flagg Rd.
Central St.
Turnpike Rd.
Latisquama Rd.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 10, 1924

The following votes were passed under the various articles:

Article 1. Chose Seth H. Howes as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted to accept the reports of the various Town Officers as printed in the Annual Report.

Article 3. Voted to raise the sum of \$99,634.87 by taxation, and that the same be appropriated as follows (see list of appropriations in the Town Accountant's report.

Under Article 3, it was voted that the Selectmen act to secure a blanket rate for fire insurance for the Town buildings and that the premiums for the first year be paid out of such moneys as may be appropriated for fire insurance on the various Town properties at the present Town Meeting and from the cancellation of policies that are in existence on Town buildings at present.

Article 4. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1924, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 5. Voted that the Dog Money be divided equally between the Schools and the Library, to be expended only after its receipt by the Town Treasurer.

Article 6. See list of appropriations.

Article 7. See list of appropriations.

Article 8. Upon motion of Francis D. Newton, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$5,990 for the purchase of a Road Roller, the motion was carried by a standing vote, 103 in favor and 59 against, but as the vote involved the borrowing of a portion of money, to do which legally a vote of two-thirds being required, it was ruled by the Moderator that the motion was lost.

Article 9. Voted that ten thousand dollars be appropriated and expended for the rebuilding of the Cordaville Road, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen; that \$2,500 of this amount be paid from the revenue for 1924, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$7,500, to issue notes therefor, \$3,750 to be paid in 1925 and the balance (\$3,750) in 1926.

It was also voted under this article that the Selectmen be instructed to petition the State Highway Commission and the County Commissioner in behalf of the Town before January 1, 1925, for an allotment to match an appropriation of \$10,000, which it is the intention of the Town to appropriate in 1925.

Article 10. Voted to appropriate \$250 for the maintenance of electric lights on Cordaville Road, from the Boston and Worcester tracks to Woodland Road.

Article 11. Voted that the Town Treasurer be authorized to accept the contribution of \$1750 presented to the Town in 1923, by the Fay School, in lieu of taxes, from which the school is now legally exempt and to continue to accept such contribution until otherwise voted; said contributions to be placed in the treasury and to be available for general purposes.

Article 12. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$285 to install a Beacon light in Southborough village, at the corner of Main and Newton Streets.

Article 13. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$1,000 for increasing the water supply at the South Union School, same to be expended under the direction of the School Committee.

Article 14. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Committee to report at the next Annual Town Meeting as to whether the Town should establish a Town Forest.

Article 15. Voted that the Legal Department of the Town determine the legality of the claim of James McMahon for damage done by a fallen tree, and if the Town is legally liable, the Selectmen be authorized to pay the claim from money in their reserve fund.

Article 16. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$500 for repairs on sidewalks on Oak Hill, in Cordaville and in Southville.

Article 17. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$750 for building a sidewalk from the Catholic Church to Stone's Corner.

Article 18. Voted to accept and adopt the Report

of the Selectmen on the widening of Newton Street, near its junction with Main Street.

Article 19. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$1,000 for the purpose of widening Newton Street and the payment of land taken for the purpose.

Article 20. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 21. Voted that the Highway Surveyor use \$100 of the general highway appropriation for the purpose of repairing Woodbury Road.

Article 22. Voted to accept the offer of the Deerfoot Farm Company of the use of a motor to use as power for the stone crusher, it being agreed that at the end of the year the motor will be returned in good condition and that while in use by the Town will be properly housed and cared for. Voted to appropriate \$100 from the general highway fund, to move and house the motor.

Article 23. Voted to appropriate \$100 for fire fighting equipment needed by the Forest Warden.

Article 24. Voted to appropriate \$2,255.45 for repairs on the Library, to which shall be added one-half of the dog money (\$244.55) already available, and that same be used only after thorough investigation by the Trustees.

Article 25. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 26. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$2,500 to place the heating, ventilation and sanitary facilities of the High School in proper condition and that same be spent under the supervision of a committee selected at the pleasure of the meeting. Voted that \$244.55 of the dog money now available be added to this ap-

appropriation.

Voted that a Committee be nominated from the floor.

Voted that this Committee consist of Dr. J. L. Bacon, Dr. C. M. Proctor, Samuel Clark, Frederick C. Staples, and Charles H. Newton.

Article 27. Voted to increase the salary of the Tax Collector to \$500 per year and that \$200 be appropriated to cover this increase.

Article 28. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 29. Voted that the Town appropriate the sum of \$119.50 to cover the expenses incurred in February and March, 1923, by the Special Committee on Fire Department matters..

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JULY 21, 1924

Article 1. Elected Raymond H. Oveson as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted that \$2,500 for repairs and \$500 for coal be paid out of funds now in the hands of the Town Treasurer, but that first, requests for bids on the repairs be advertised by the School Committee, that said bids be opened by the School Committee and the Selectmen at any meeting of the Selectmen and that such bid be accepted as seems advisable.

Article 3. Voted that \$1050 saved on repairs of the Fire Houses be transferred for the purchase of a motorized hose wagon.

Voted that the Chief of the Fire Department, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to spend not to exceed \$2,500 for the purchase of a Hose truck other than that with Ford mechanism, and that \$1,050 of this amount be transferred from appropriation made for Repairs on the Fire Houses and the balance (\$1,450) be taken from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer.

Article 4. Voted, that the Selectmen be instructed to apply the \$10,000 appropriated at the last Annual Town Meeting, to match similar amount or amounts applied by the State Highway Commission and County Commissioners, or either or both of them, toward rebuilding the Cordaville Road.

Article 5. The motion of F. D. Newton that the Town appropriate \$5,850 for the purchase of a 12-ton Road Roller was defeated by a vote of 49 against 43 in favor.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, NOVEMBER 26, 1924

Article 1. Elected Albert E. Hutt as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted to rescind the vote of the Town whereby the Town voted to transfer \$1,050 from the Fire Department Repair Fund to apply towards the purchase of a new Hose wagon.

Article 3. Voted to transfer \$1,050 from the Fire Department Repair Fund to the Fund for New Equipment and to appropriate from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer \$1,450 additional to pay for a new Howe Service Hose Wagon.

Article 4. Voted to appropriate from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer \$183 to pay Department of Public Welfare bills of 1921.

Article 5. Voted to appropriate \$315 from money in the hands of the Town Treasurer for the purpose of completing the work of widening Newton Street.

Article 6. Voted to appropriate \$300 from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer to complete the work on the sidewalk between St. Ann's Church and Stone's Corner.

Article 7. Voted to appropriate \$300 from money in the hands of the Town Treasurer to pay for necessary repairs on the highways and for cleaning out ditches and gutters.

Article 8. Voted to approve and authorize the proposed contract with the Boston and Albany Railroad Company in connection with a water pipe laid beneath the railroad tracks in Southville.

BIRTHS

- Jan. 7. Bertonassi, Silvia
Daughter of Massino and Albina (Berni)
Bertonassi
- Jan. 22. Bartolini, Redio
Son of Tony and Mary (Casciani) Bartolini
- Jan. 27. McHale, James Richard
Son of Richard and Catherine (Dolan) Mc-
Hale
- Jan. 28. Stockwell, Barbara Jane
Daughter of James D. and Minnie (LeGay)
Stockwell
- Feb. 10. Fry, Alexander Coutts
Son of Harry and Elspeth (Coutts) Fry
- Feb. 14. Wiles, Robert Irving
Son of Charles G. and Lillian (Johnson)
Wiles
- Feb. 15. Fisher
Son of Charles and Ena (Serip) Fisher
- Feb. 21. Jeombetti, Mary
Daughter of Tony and Mary (Finogaki)
Jeombetti
- Feb. 23. Castanetti, Louise
Daughter of John and Perina (Walla) Cas-
tanetti

- Mar. 3. Berry, Alice Mary
Daughter of Batista and Mary (Delevarda)
Berry
- Mar. 3. Berry, Eleanor
Daughter of Batista and Mary (Delevarda)
Berry
- Mar. 15. Holmes (Baby)
Daughter of Charles H. and Hazel (Rowell)
Holmes
- Apr. 11. Gebhart, Joseph Francis
Son of Joseph F. and Nora (O'Connor) Geb-
hart
- Apr. 28. Baker, Lawrence
Son of Walter J. and Barbara (Cronin)
Baker
- May 10. Golgata, Ginna
Daughter of Venanzio and Mary (Morrisini)
Golgata
- May 31. Forristall, Virginia
Daughter of William H. and Maybelle
(Manning) Forristall
- June 19. Mahoney, Francis Xavier
Son of Robert and Angeline (Guertin) Ma-
honey
- June 29. Khederian
Daughter of Garabed and Nouretza (Asel-
bekian) Khederian
- June 30. Crossman, Austin Murray
Son of Lyman and Helen (Travers) Cross-
man

- July 9. Antonocci, Daniel
Son of Daniel and Mary (Grimes) Antonocci
- July 11. Seymour, Ruth Louise
Daughter of Irving and Helen (Danseveau) Seymour
- July 21. Morenzetti, Annie
Daughter of Luigi and Eleanora (Catalani) Morenzetti
- July 21. Mennucci, Sillio Henry
Son of James and Antoinette (Giove) Mennucci
- July 29. Tobin, George
Son of John and Catherine (Burke) Tobin
- Aug. 7. Agostinelli, Julio
Son of Silvio and Italia (Borelli) Agostinelli
- Aug. 10. Caroloni, Daisy
Daughter of Varesto and Marie (Chickolini) Caroloni
- Sept. 21. Hebden, Charlotte P.
Daughter of Robert L. and Lois P. (Wheeler) Hebden
- Sept. 22. Boothby, George
Son of George and Mary (Philippo) Boothby
- Sept. 25. Gebhart, George G.
Son of George and Mary (Dubois) Gebhart
- Sept. 26. Baldelli (Baby)
Son of Elio and Rose (Labossiere) Baldelli
- Oct. 1. Slawson, Natalie Louise
Daughter of Fred G. and Evelyn (Willard) Slawson

- Oct. 1. Hunt, Carolyn Williams
Daughter of Donald R. and Ellen (Thompson) Hunt
- Oct. 7. Noberini, Louis James
Son of Louis and Mena (Trioli) Noberini
- Oct. 16. Sarajian, Doris Akabi
Daughter of Charles and Margaret (Morris) Sarajian
- Nov. 30. Johnson, Everett Brigham
Son of James B. and Lexie (Campbell) Johnson
- Dec. 8. Bullens, Herman Lowell
Son of Charles H. and Eva (Lawrence) Bullens
- Dec. 10. Finn, Robert Emmet
Son of John Vincent, Jr., and Mary M. (Winn) Finn
- Dec. 12. Greenwood, Violet
Daughter of William Hamilton and Christine (Koucsis) Greenwood
- Nov. 28. Knowles, Charles Sumner
Son of Richard and May F. (Ashley) Knowles
- Sept. 11. Geoghegan, Lawrence
Son of James D. and Helena B. (Devitt) Geoghegan

MARRIAGES, 1924

- Feb. 16. Norman Brunell to Florence Gladys Hilton
Mar. 28. Waldo H. Richardson to Alice Sophia Harding
Apr. 21. Leo Foley to Marion Veronica Mahoney
Apr. 26. Domenic E. Lepore to Ida Eva Phillippo
Apr. 26. Peter Esalbettini to Guiseppina Piccicuto
June 7. Atkins Hughes King to Priscilla Amelia Schnare
June 8. William Lewis MacKeen to Annie Campbell Johnson
June 16. Victor Rossi to Avis Rhoda Baker
July 19. Franklin Goodhue Woodward to Helen Beatrice Rathburn
July 26. John Coyle Welch to Mabel Isabel Chisholm
July 31. Roland Wayne Eastman to Claire Helen Smith
Aug. 3. Leon Albert Pierce to Harriet Mabel Voter
Aug. 17. Joseph Robert Bagley to Bridie Sheehan
Sept. 8. Patrick Robert Callahan to Mary Frances Salmon
Sept. 11. Edgar M. Smith to Mary E. (Collins) Drake
Sept. 20. Domenic Martino to Marion Mauro
Oct. 8. Lawrence Leo Kane to Mary Elizabeth Maley

- Oct. 7. Oliver Sherwood Slawson to Vera Marie Swenson
- Oct. 26. Joseph B. Varley to Gladys Madeline Washburn
- Nov. 12. William P. Ward to Helen Leona MacEachern
- Nov. 22. Gail H. King to Edna Blanche Doolittle
- Nov. 27. Francis Trowbridge Merrifield to Agnes Elvira Wiberg

DEATHS, 1924

- Feb. 4. Patrick Joseph Kelley, 45 years, 11 months,
17 days
- Feb. 8. Luigi Genare, 54 years, 9 months, 11 days
- Mar. 16. (Baby) Holmes
- Mar. 22. William J. Cox, 66 years, 11 months, 23 days
- Mar. 25. Augusta Knudsen, 52 years, 6 months, 1 day
- Mar. 27. Charles Joseph Misener, 2 days
- Mar. 25. Delia Neary, 69 years, 10 months, 6 days
- Mar. 29. Nora C. O'Connell, 60 years, 3 months, 13
days
- Apr. 9. Eunice Lucinda Coldwell, 84 years, 2 months
- Apr. 14. George Windsor Howe, 94 years, 5 months,
16 days
- Apr. 17. Otis Cutting, 78 years, 27 days
- Apr. 29. Clara A. Wheeler, 74 years, 1 month, 16
days
- May 1. Abbie Anna Bigelow, 75 years, 25 days.
- May 12. Robert R. Proctor, 18 years, 8 months
- May 23. Nellie May Jones Woodward, 48 years, 1
month, 17 days
- May 29. Carrie M. Richards, 62 years, 3 months, 17
days
- June 5. Jacobine Catherine Malling, 79 years, 10
months, 18 days

- July 21. Imogene Mary Bean, 69 years
July 29. Joseph Wilfred, 19 years
Sept. 26. (Baby) Baldelli
Oct. 18. Joseph Genare, 18 years, 1 month, 10 days
Nov. 8. Alice Mary Berry, 8 months, 4 days
Nov. 26. Walter Carey, 81 years
Dec. 16. Nina Frances Burrage, 22 years, 8 months,
16 days
Dec. 21. Warren George Howe, 72 years, 27 days

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT, 1924

Births registered, males	22
Births registered, females	18
Marriages recorded	22
Deaths recorded, males	12
Deaths recorded, females	13
Fees received for recording above	\$65.00
Dogs licensed, females	50
Dogs licensed, males	194
Breeder's License	2
Paid County Treasurer	\$638.80
Fees received for Dog Licenses	\$49.20
Hunters registered	56
Fishermen registered	24
Minor Trappers registered	10
Paid Commissioner of Fish and Game	\$105.60
Fees received for registering above	\$17.90
Fees received for filing Marriage	\$22.00
Fees received for Birth Certificates	\$1.50
Fees received for recording mortgages, etc.	\$7.60

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,

Town Clerk

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31st, 1924:

Total number of stables inspected	73
Number of dairy cows inspected	802
Number of young cattle inspected	126
Number of bulls inspected	37
Total number of cattle inspected	965
Number of swine inspected	110
Number of goats inspected	4
Number of sheep inspected	3
Total number of animals inspected	1082
Number of cattle quarantined	2
Number of cattle killed	2
Number of cattle released	0
Number of dogs quarantined	7
Number of dogs killed	4

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. ONTHANK,

Inspector of Animals

MEMORIAL DAY

DR.

Appropriation

\$100.00

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Paid Southborough Brass Band	\$40.00	
Boston Regalia Co., flags	15.00	
B. P. Winch, flowers	24.00	
Frank Fitzgerald, automobile	6.00	
J. F. Chickering, automobile	5.00	
Marlborough Foundry Co., markers	10.00	100.00

FRANCIS D. NEWTON, Quarter Master

G. Wesley Nichols Post 44, G. A. R.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Inventory of State Standards:

One office scale
 One brass yard measure
 Weight—1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 20, 25, 50 Pounds
 Weights— $1/16$, $1/8$, $1/4$, $1/2$, 1, 2, 4, 8 Ounces
 Dry Measures—iron 1, 2, 4, 8, 16 Quarts
 Liquid Measures—iron $1/2$, 1 pint, 1, 2, 4 Quarts

Working Equipment:

Sealers' balance in case	1
Avoirdupois weights, 50 lbs.	20
Avoirdupois weights 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 25 Pounds	
Avoirdupois weights— $1/16$, $7/8$, $1/4$, $1/2$, 1, 2, 4, 8 Ounces	
Dry Measures—wood 1, 2, 4, 8, 16 Quarts	
Liquid Measure—copper $1/2$ pint, 1, 2, 4 Quarts	
Glass graduates	2
Drill	1
Seal presses	2
Desk	1
Safe	1
5 gallon Gasolene testing measure	1
1 gallon Gasolene testing measure	1
Number of scales sealed	59
Number of weights sealed	155

Yard measures sealed	3
Number of liquid measures sealed	21
Gas pumps sealed	7
Fees received and paid Treasurer	\$22.97

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,
Sealer of Weights and Measures

ASSESSORS' REPORT, 1924

	Valuations	
	April 1, 1923.	April 1, 1924
Real Estate	\$2,235,710	\$2,317,720
Personal Property	726,294	758,422
Total Valuation	2,962,004	3,076,142
Town Appropriations	\$110,852.27	
State Tax	5,500.00	
State Highway Tax	738.00	
County Tax	4,470.00	
Overlayings on Taxes	577.11	
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Total for Expenditures		\$122,137.58
Deduct estimated receipts as follows:		
Corporation Tax	\$6,500.00	
Bank Tax	1,475.00	
From Fay School	1,819.00	
From St. Mark's School	1,500.00	
Worcester Cons. Railway Franchise Tax	365.00	
Met. W. and S. Board in lieu of Tax on Land	2,980.35	
Moth Tax	102.23	
Private Spraying	507.01	
Income Tax from State	7,429.73	
From State Educational Reimbursements	2,000.00	
From Town Hall Rent	400.00	

From Protection of Property	100.00	
Charities, Reimbursements	650.00	
Soldiers' Benefits, Reimburse- ments	200.00	
Education, Reimbursements	1,000.00	
Libraries, Reimbursements	25.00	
Cemeteries, Reimbursements	600.00	
Interest on Deposits and Taxes	900.00	
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Estimated Receipts		\$28,553.32
Amount committed to Collector		93,584.26
For Moth Tax		102.23
For Private Spraying		507.01
Number of polls assessed 650		
Rate of tax on \$1000, \$30		
Taxes added		\$12.00
Taxes Abated, 1922 Assessments		
Real Estate	\$4.04	\$4.04
Taxes Abated, 1923 Assessments		
11 Poll Taxes, (uncollectable)	55.00	
Personal (uncollectable)	1.15	56.15
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Taxes Abated, 1924 Assessments		
14 Poll Taxes (uncollectable)	28.00	
Real Estate	174.50	
Personal	80.05	282.55
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Respectfully submitted,
 FRANCIS McNEIL,
 EDWARD F. COLLINS,
 GEORGE F. FIELD,
 Assessors of Southborough

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**1922**

DR.

Balance uncollected last report	\$546.70	
Interest collected	58.11	\$604.81

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Taxes Abateed	4.04	
Paid Town Treasurer	600.77	604.81

TAXES ABATED, 1922

G. Wesley Nichols Building Asso.	\$4.04
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1923**DR.**

Balance uncollected last report	\$7,767.90	
Interest collected	283.92	\$8,051.82

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Paid Town Treasurer	7,243.55	
Taxes Abated	56.15	

Taxes Uncollected	750.99
Interest Uncollected	1.13 8,051.82

TAXES ABATED, 1923

11 Poll Taxes	55.00
Personal Property Tax	1.15 56.15

TAXES UNCOLLECTED, 1923

Lewis Banks	\$86.02	James Minnucci	5.00
Louis Bertonazzi	66.21	Mihram Margerian	46.26
George H. Brooks	5.00	Felix Phillipo	8.45
John J. Brooks	5.00	John Sealey	159.70
William A. Cahill	9.60	Louise Sundberg	60.88
Maurice Coleman	4.37	Fred Tombrey	6.15
Mabel P. Conder	6.14	Arlington Wilde	5.00
Interest	5.35	William McLaughlin,	
Emily Currie	10.93	Heirs of	3.45
Allan H. Draper	16.50	Herbert P. Locke	4.03
Isabelle G. Driscoll	46.58	Leslie R. Brown, bal.	45.70
Waldo A. Fay	76.73	Mary Hayden, Heirs	
Angelo Fornasini	5.00	of	5.75
Thomas Francis	5.00	Sarkis Nordigian	3.45
Fred Grey	5.00	Louis Kaplan	5.75
John Luce	19.05	Asa Kennison	2.30
John McCullough	9.36	John O'C. Fitzgerald	6.90
Thomas McDonald	5.00		
Richard McHale	.73		\$750.99
Interest	.67		

1924**DR.**

Taxes committed by Warrant	\$93,584.26	
Moth Tax	102.23	
Private Spraying	507.01	
Taxes Added	12.00	
Interest Collected	135.71	
Interest Collected later	3.91	\$94,345.12

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Taxes Abated	\$282.55	
Paid Town Treasurer	83,597.05	
Late Payments in hands of collector	281.59	
Taxes Uncollected	10,183.93	94,345.12

TAXES UNCOLLECTED, 1924

Daniel Antonacci	\$.30	Peter Bosselli	3.20
Harry Bailey	2.00	W. and A. Brewer,	
Lewis Banks	2.00	spraying	8.50
Matilda C. Banks	136.73	Norman Brunell	23.00
Frank K. Beals	3.98	John H. Burke	8.90
Robert H. Beals	2.00	Charles H. Bullens	2.00
Robert H. and E. S.		Edward Burns	2.00
Beals	100.92	J. Otis Burroughs	2.00
Raymond Beals	2.00	Bernard J. Butler	3.20
Chester M. Bean	87.75	George Campbell	2.00
Louis Bertonnazzi	86.28	John A. Campbell	9.80
Donald Blood	3.05	Ralph F. Coburn	197.58

William E. Collins	2.00	Chester C., Mary J.	
Mabel P. Conder	298.55	Gray	16.50
Heirs of Margaret		Chester C. Gray	23.75
Coyle	30.00	Thomas Guino	2.00
John W. Crawford	72.45	Reginald Hadley	14.90
Avis Cummings	91.63	Noel R. Hammond,	
Emily M. Currie	20.70	spraying	48.05
Daniel M. Daughan	36.50	Robert B. Hamilton	90.88
Eva B. Davis	204.67	Hart Harris	42.89
Edward Daughan	2.00	Nellie F. Harris	84.38
Nelson W. Dix	2.00	Frank Hemenway	2.00
Allan H. Draper	21.20	Edward W. Honen	65.96
Robert M. Draper	61.50	George N. Hull	3.05
Tony Dranglo	2.00	John A. Hunt	31.25
Lyman Dudley	2.00	Alma S. Johnson	39.25
Waldo A. Fay	94.14	Garabed Khedrian	
John V. Finn, Jr.	178.58	et als	175.05
George T. Firmin	8.90	Garabed Khedrian	9.50
Andrew W. Fitzgerald	172.85	Claude Knapp	5.96
Henry H. Flanders	18.50	George E. Lanctot	2.00
H. H. Flanders and		Charles P. Lane	14.79
Mary Gray	129.00	Dorothy Leaycraft	19.20
Angelo Fornasini	2.00	John W. Luce	34.55
Joseph Furlong	2.00	Loretto C. Madan	25.50
Stephen C. Gale	5.45	Thomas F. Manning	27.39
Nicholas Gatto	2.00	Hugh J. McDonald	67.50
James D. Geoghegan	2.00	Thomas McDonald	2.00
Alexander Gilmore	65.00	Christina McDonald	4.50
John Gould	2.00	Richard McHale	154.61
Tony Gambretti	2.00	Kathleen McHugh	99.96
Ralph Gambretti	2.00	Nellie McIntire	36.00
		Harry A. McMaster	8.39

Charlotte McMaster	121.33	Sinia Sasseville	2.00
Mary A. McMaster,		Harrison H. Schaff	2.00
Balance	123.50	C. Lawrence Scott	8.90
Adrienne McMonigal		John Sealey	208.64
et als	54.75	John Sheridan	2.00
John H. Miller	2.00	Oliver S. Slawson	13.49
James Minnucci	71.75	Arthur E. Smith	21.20
Dominic Minnucci	2.00	Mary E. Smith	145.63
Henry Mitchell	2.00	Gladys M. Smith	63.00
Margerian and Gara-		Clifton E. Steele	5.00
bed Sarajian Mih-		John F. Sullivan	63.89
ram	66.00	Louise H. Sundberg	79.95
Edward C. Nichols	35.00	Greeley S. Thoits	2.00
Raymond F. O'Con-		Thomas P. Thomp-	
nell	2.00	son, Balance	58.63
Harry C. O'Leary	59.00	Fred Tombri	2.00
Francis M. O'Neil	2.00	Thomas H. Tude	46.50
Luciano Perini	188.70	Fred C. Twombly	8.90
Louis Pesini	2.00	John H. VanHess	2.00
Felix Phillipo	2.00	Evelyn C. VanHess	99.25
Joseph W. Pink-		John J. Vegina	58.40
ham	153.38	Harriett Voter	42.00
Pilgrim Church So-		John Wakeling	2.00
ciety	76.00	Mary J. Wakeling	72.00
Mary C. Quinn	27.00	Elwood W. Ward	2.00
Cecil Rodenizer	2.00	Mabel A. Ward	169.19
Henry Riggo	2.00	John Watkins	15.00
Frank A. Rivinius	137.00	David Watkins	113.63
Goldney Robinson	2.00	John L. Watkins	2.00
Peter E. Sabateni	12.50	Arthur G. Webster	2.00
George A. Sanders	74.00	Helen W. Webster	165.00
		Charles Wyles	37.25

Arlington Wilde	63.95	Matthew Boland	24.00
Augustus E. Wright		Heirs of Addington	
	263.38	Brigham	33.13
Charles I. Parmenter	2.00	Heirs of James H.	
Jewell Parmenter	135.75	Donahue	55.63
Selectmen, spraying	4.00	Viola Shannon	42.75
		Tremblay Fletcher	15.00
		Charles Yoksas	7.50
NON-RESIDENTS		Nicholas S. Ziko	30.00
James F. Bacon	\$57.00	George A. Butman	7.50
B. & W. St. Rail-		Leslie R. Brown	93.00
way Co.	2,560.28	Charlotte T. Blake	195.00
Arthur F. Brewer	253.88	Heirs of Mary Hay-	
Mary L. Doherty	48.00	den	7.50
Eugene B. Hamilton	15.00	Louis Kaplan	7.50
Heirs of William		May Davis Folk	18.00
McLaughlin	4.50	Frank J. Salmon	4.50
Daniel A. Piculio	90.00		
Jacob Tarplin	30.00		
Herbert P. Locke	5.25		
			<hr/> \$10,183.93

Respectfully submitted,

SETH H. HOWES,
Collector

REPORT OF THE TOWN HALL COMMITTEE FOR 1924

Your committee recommends the following appropriations for care and repairs to the Town Hall.

For General Care, \$1100.00

This amount is \$100 in excess of our appropriation of last year. It is based on the average of expense for Janitor service, fuel and light over a period of several years and is an accurate estimate of expenditure to be made in 1925. Our fuel and light bills for 1924 have been a little higher than the average of the past years due to the taking in to the 1924 account of some unpaid accounts of 1923 not previously considered.

For Normal Repairs, \$300.00

We have already made some repairs to the floor of the hall which were very much needed and the same is in good condition and should remain so for several years. The total of this expense was not more than \$160.00 which is to come out of the \$300.00 requested. The balance is to be used for other ordinary and usual building repairs.

For Special Heating Repairs, \$3,000.00

Your committee has carefully considered the heating problem at the hall and would report that it is in a very unsatisfactory condition, it being impossible to secure the full heat value for the fuel consumed and there is always the trouble of coal gas leakage that has been so noticeable in the hall of late. The present equipment has simply outlived it's usefulness.

We do not believe it would be wise to expend money in any temporary repairs and would recommend the appropriation of \$3,000.00 above mentioned to install a modern steam heating plant which will comply with all the requirements of the department of building inspection of the Commonwealth. We are having definite figures and quotations made for such installation which will be placed before the voters at the annual meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

A. E. HUTT

J. T. OULD

Town Hall Committee.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

In accordance with the vote of the Town, the Selectmen had appraisals made of Town property and equipment and took out blanket insurance amounting to \$200,360.00, which represents 80 % of the value of the public buildings and 90 % of the value of their contents and equipment. This necessitated our taking out \$103,000 of new additional insurance, which could not be met out of rebates and cancellations as provided in the Town vote, so the selectmen were obliged to meet this by a small partial payment to hold the insurance until the Town Meeting.

The Selectmen have entered into negotiations for the purchase of a section of the gravel pit belonging to the Metropolitan Water Board, at the corner of the Turnpike and Cordaville Road, for the sum of \$400, and this amount should be appropriated for this purpose.

In order to reach the Town policeman promptly, by telephone, in case of an emergency, a telephone gong should be installed in a suitable place, and we recommend an appropriation for this purpose.

The Selectmen have had hearings, interviews and correspondence with the State Highway Commission and the County Commissioners to secure their co-operation in the building of Cordaville Road as voted by

the Town, but no allotments have been made as yet since the Legislature hasn't yet voted appropriations for such purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND H. OVESON,
JOSEPH B. CHOATE,
FRANCIS D. NEWTON,

Selectmen of Southborough

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN AND MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

The Gypsy Moth seems to be on the wane, although enough are left to stand watching. There is a possibility of the return of the Brown-tail as 751 nests were found and destroyed the past year.

All the dead chestnut trees, south of the turnpike have been removed as well as many others. All roadside brush has been cut and 192 rock maples have been trimmed, which were hurt by the ice storm.

The tree and log saw is a great help.

Thirty young maple trees have been set out.

I would say that I am in favor of the Town Forest, for which there was a committee appointed last March to investigate the same.

HARRY BURNETT,
Tree Warden and Moth Supt.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE SOUTHBORO FIRE DEPARTMENT

Total number of fires during the year ending 1925 27
Equipment:

- 1 Howe Service Pumper
- 1 Howe Service Chemical Combination
- 1 Motor Ladder Truck
- 1 Ford, equipped for forest fires
- 2 Ford Chemical Combinations
- 1000 feet of 2½ inch double jacketed hose
- 1000 feet of 2½ inch single jacketed hose
- 1 Erick Electric Fire Alarm

The membership of the department is composed of
1 Chief, 3 Captains, 4 Lieutenants, 31 Call Men.

During the year a pipe line has been installed in Southville, starting at river and running to the square near the Paul Lincoln store.

On the day it was tested 1900 feet of hose was laid from end of hydrant, nearly to the Westboro line and we delivered a ¾-inch stream of water 150 feet long.

We then divided the stream into two ⅝-inch streams and drove the water 125 feet.

RECOMMENDATIONS

All parts of the town are now pretty well protected, with the exception of Fayville.

That a 4-inch pipe be run to reservoir from a point opposite the Allan Draper house.

There should be a cistern of about 200,000 gallons' capacity.

Something should be done about fire alarm boxes.

That 500 feet of 2½-inch double jacketed hose be purchased to replace hose that has given out.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE CLOSSON,
Chief Southborough Fire Dept.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Town of Southborough

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1923		
Dec. 31.	Balance	\$18,685.59
1924		
Feb. 1.	Boston & Albany R. R. Co., fires	29.60
	2. Com. of Mass., Civilian Poll War Tax, 1923	123.00
	15. Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax, Pub- lic Service	28.69
	Comm. of Mass., Bank Tax	201.98
	Sale Fire Apparatus and Tractor	99.00
Mar. 25.	Comm. of Mass., Corp Tax, Business, 1923	68.16
Apr. 2.	Roger Amory, Lo'n due Nov. 1, '24	10,000.00
	4. Rebate on Insurance, Town Hall	3.10
	8. Comm. of Mass., Mothers with Dependent Children	639.00
	Comm. of Mass., Civilian Poll War Tax, 1923	144.00
	12. Comm. of Mass., Aid Ind. Ins. School	164.08
	15. Cemetery Trust Fund, E. Edwin Atwood	100.00

	19.	Comm. of Mass., Income Tax, 1922	123.67
		Comm. of Mass., Income Tax, 1923	357.50
May	1.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Dennis M. Davis	100.00
	3.	Deerfoot Farm Dairy, Rental	50.00
	5.	J. W. Richards, poison	5.00
	9.	Comm. of Mass. Gypsy Moth	6.00
	14.	St. Mark's School, Contribution	1,500.00
	19.	W. B. Brown, poison	4.00
	20.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Mrs. W. O. Safford	100.00
	21.	C. Dee, poison	1.00
		Cemetery Trust Fund, Mrs. G. F. Barney	100.00
		North End Savings Bank, Loan due Dec. 1, 1924	10,000.00
	29.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Mrs. W. A. Walker	100.00
June	4.	E. C. Wells, poison	10.00
	13.	O. S. Lincoln, poison	4.00
	19.	H. B. Spurr and son, poison	2.00
	21.	Comm. of Mass., Highway	18.00
	28.	Sale School Supplies	69.46
	30.	People's Nat. Bank Loan, Due Dec. 15, 1924	10,000.00
	30.	St. Mark's School, Manual Training	84.50
July	14.	F. X. Rielly, Clerk, Court Fees	15.00
	19.	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax, Business	68.68
Aug.	1.	Comm. of Mass., Highway and Gypsy Moth	63.70
	5.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Mrs. Emma F. Mills	100.00

	13.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Mrs. Susie S. Ring	100.00
	18.	Grafton Co., Loan Due Dec. 31, '24	10,000.00
	19.	M. Byrne, poison	1.60
Sept.	6.	Comm. of Mass., Tuition of Children	1,010.00
	19.	Comm. of Mass., Nat. Bank Tax	23.10
	20.	N. Y., N. H. & H. R.R. Co., Fires	3.35
	26.	Comm. of Mass., Grade Crossing Int.	1.29
	27.	Comm. of Mass., Met. Water Board, Taxes	2,980.35
Oct.	2.	Comm. of Mass., Mass. Training School	170.00
	6.	F. X. Rielly, Clerk, Court Fee	60.00
	11.	Town of Hopkinton, Tuition	399.00
	17.	Comm. of Mass., Supt. of Schools	757.79
Nov.	3.	Fay School, in Lieu of Taxes, 1924	1,820.00
	22.	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax, Public Service	3,367.55
		Business	1,218.60
		Income, 1924	7,429.73
		Bank Tax, Sec. 1, Chap. 13	.70
		Bank Tax, Sec. 10, Chap. 13	970.74
		St. Railway Tax	7.77
		State Aid	176.00
		Soldiers' Exemption	59.04
		Surplus War Bonus Fund	1,042.26
	29.	Income, 1924	385.00
Dec.	3.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Eugene Emery	100.00
		G. E. Ladd, Brush Fire	11.06

19.	Comm. of Mass., Dept. of Labor and Industries	12.00
31.	Edgar L. Ramsdell, County Treas., Dog Fund	615.87
	Comm. of Mass., Income Tax, 1924	137.50
	Corp. Tax, Business	143.26
	Corp. Tax, Public Service	.46
	Sale of Material, Domestic Science	11.00
	South Union School, Rent of Hall	10.00
	Mr. C. S. Ovison, Sale of Books	2.90
	Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., Int. on Cemetery Trust Funds	629.18
	F. X. Rielly, Clerk, Court Fees	20.00
	Cemetery Committee, Cash	890.25
	Rural Cemetery Committee, Cash	85.00
	N. Y., N.H. & H. R.R. Co., Check Returned	.80
	Fireman Fund Ins. Co., Fire Hose, Bath House	400.00
	C. L. Fairbanks, Junk Dealer's Licenses	10.00
	C. L. Fairbanks, Sealer Weights and Measures	22.97
	Cemetery Committee, Care of Lots	651.00
	Sarah V. Stivers, Library Fines	43.50
	Harry Burnett, Private Spraying	189.15
	People's Nat. Bank, Int. on Deposits	330.35
	Town Hall, Committee Cash	429.50
	Fayville Hall Committee, Cash	85.00

S. H. Howes, Coll. of Taxes, 1922	600.77
1923	7,243.55
1924	83,597.05
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	\$181,424.70

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Mar. 24.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 36	\$2.00
29.	North End Savings Bank, Int. on Loan	50.00
Apr. 3.	Roger Amory, Int. on Note due	
	Nov. 1, 1924	242.08
May 20.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 37	2.00
23.	North End Savings Bank, Int. on	
	Note due Dec. 1, 1924	218.69
June 21.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 38	2.00
30.	People's National Bank, Int. on Note	
	due Dec. 15, 1924	163.33
July 1.	North End Savings Bank, Note Paid	900.00
	Int. on Loan	24.75
	Boston Safe Dep. and T. Co., Int.	
	due on Loan	60.00
Aug. 4.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 39	2.00
18.	Grafton Co., Int. on Loan due Dec.	
	31, 1924	95.27
Sept. 20.	1000 2c Stamped Envelopes	22.08
Oct. 1.	North End Savings Bank, Note due	2,500.00
	North End Savings Bank, Int. on Loan	50.00
18.	Edgar L. Ramsdell, County Treas.,	
	County Tax	4,470.00
25.	T. P. Thompson, Court Expenses	1.99
28.	Roger Amory, Note due	10,000.00

Nov. 22.	Comm. of Mass., State Tax	5,500.00
	Comm. of Mass., State Highway Rep.	738.20
Dec. 1.	North End Savings Bank, Note due	10,000.00
	Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., Cemetery Trust Fund Dep.	700.00
15.	People's National Bank, Note due	10,000.00
24.	Grafton Co., Note due	10,000.00
30.	Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., Cemetery Trust Fund Dep.	100.00
31.	Boston Safe Dep. & T. Co., Int. due on Loan	60.00
	Harris Forbes & Co., Note due	1,000.00
	W. A. Johnson, Court Expense	3.02
	Cemetery Committee, Care of Lots	651.00
	Selectmen's Orders	100,241.68
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		\$157,800.09
Balance		23,624.61
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		\$181,424.70

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Rural Cemetery Commissioners**

1924

Jan.	1.	Balance		\$1,067.24
	4.	Thomas H. Tude, Lot 7, Range 13	\$30.00	
	16.	John F. McGuire, Lot 5, Range 13	30.00	
Feb.	23.	Bertha Smith, Lot 47, Range 12, East Half	30.00	
May	2.	Bernard F. Henderson, Lot 63, Range 11	30.00	
	5.	Delia G. Butler, Lot 13, Range 15	40.00	
July	3.	Ellen E. Richards, Lot 62, Range 11, East Half	15.00	
	24.	John A. Woodward, Lot 47, Range 12, West Half	15.00	
Aug.	28.	Catherine A. Geraway, Lot 13, Range 13, East Half	30.00	
Nov.	3.	Mary H. Sharp, Lot 32, Range 10	80.00	
		Interest on money depos- ited	23.52	323.52
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				\$1,390.76

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Oct. 18.	L. W. Fay	\$44.00	
	E. E. Chase	44.00	
	Town of Southborough,		
	Transfer	85.00	\$173.00
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	Balance		\$1,217.76

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Willson Charity Fund**

1924

Jan.	1.	Balance		\$192.33
	5.	Unit. Shoe Mach Co., Div.	\$15.00	
May	5.	do.	15.00	
July	5.	do.	15.00	
Oct.	5.	do.	15.00	60.00
		Balance		\$252.33

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Fay Library**

1924

Jan.	1.	Balance		\$16.43
		Am. Tel. & Tel. Co., Div.	\$20.00	
	17.	Marlborough Savings Bank,		
		Int.	2.34	
May	2.	Town of Gardner	10.00	
July	1.	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	20.00	
	17.	Marlborough Savings Bank	2.34	
Nov.	2.	Town of Gardner	10.00	64.68
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				\$81.81
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Aug.	7.	Library Book House	\$43.19	
Nov.	22.	do.	26.07	\$69.26
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		Balance		\$11.85

**THOMAS E. WALDRON, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH
CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS**

143 Trust Funds	Lot	Section	Deposited with Treas.	Interest Unexpended	Interest 1924	Total Interest	Care of Lot	Unex- pended
Angier, C. M.	28	11	100.00	7.00	5.25	12.25	4.00	8.25
Arnold, Jackson	27	2	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	3.00	.12
Atwood, Edwin Fund	61	11	100.00		3.95	3.95		3.95
Baker Lot	13	10	100.00	16.00	5.25	21.25	6.00	15.25
Bacon, A. E.	4	3	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25
Barney, Nancy E.	17	5	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	3.00	.12
Barney, G. F., Mrs.	52	7	100.00		3.20	3.20	3.00	.20
Basseli, Paul w. h.	8	13	50.00	.65	2.62	3.27	2.50	.77
Bemis, M. E.	46	2	100.00	10.00	5.25	15.25	12.00	3.25
Bemis, Jacob	37	3	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	3.00	.12
Belknap, Hiram	48	2	100.00	2.00	5.25	7.25	4.00	3.25
Blair, M. Lizzie	5	7	100.00	3.75	5.25	9.00	4.00	5.00
Borelli, Margaret e. h.	10	12	50.00	1.50	2.62	4.12	2.50	1.62
Brigham, Lucretia L.	7	9	100.00	6.75	5.25	12.00	6.00	6.00
Brigham, Dana E.	6	5	75.00		3.93	3.93	3.75	.18
Brigham, E. M.	17	2	100.00	6.00	5.25	11.25	5.00	6.25
Brewer, Walter L.	25	9	100.00	3.50	5.25	8.75	5.00	3.75
Brewer, Arthur F.	5	11	75.00		3.93	3.93	3.75	.18

Brown Lot	29	9	100.00	5.00	5.25	10.25	5.00	5.25
Buck, Mrs. Chas. M.	42	6	100.00	4.50	5.25	9.75	5.00	4.75
Buck, Wallace B.	3	7	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Buck, William H.	49	7	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25
Burdett Fund	15	9	1.00	4.50	5.25	9.75	5.00	4.75
Burnett, Charles	32	3	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Chamberlain, Ephraim	10	3	100.00	9.00	5.25	14.25	6.00	8.25
Chamberlain, John	6	3	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Chamberlain, Ellen Jane	7	1	100.00	4.50	5.25	9.75	5.00	4.75
Choate, E. C.	50	11	100.00	8.50	5.25	13.75	5.00	8.75
Clifford, William D.	20	4	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Colleary, Wm. and John	17	12	100.00	1.75	5.25	7.00	5.00	2.00
Cook, Mrs. Hiram E.	33	9	100.00	5.50	5.25	10.75	5.00	5.75
Coldwell, William H.	30	10	100.00	2.00	5.25	7.25	5.00	2.25
Collins, William	18-4	4-10	150.00	9.00	7.87	16.87	9.00	7.87
Collins, Leander A.	3	9	75.00	.75	3.93	4.68	3.75	.93
Cowern Fund	11	3	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25
Davis, Benjamin	2	2	100.00	9.50	5.25	14.75	5.00	9.75
Davis, Mrs. Dennis, F'd	19	11	100.00		3.50	3.50	3.00	.50
Dillingham, Benja'in C.	22	4	100.00	3.50	5.25	8.75	5.00	3.75
Este, F. F.	43	3	100.00	2.50	5.25	7.75	5.00	2.75
Eames, Jon. G. Fund	50	7	100.00	2.25	5.25	7.50	5.00	2.50

Fay, H. Maria, Mrs.	9	3	100.00	5.50	5.25	10.75	6.00	4.75
Fay, Manassah	9	2	100.00	3.50	5.25	8.75	6.00	2.75
Fay, Josiah C.	1-44	2-3	125.00	2.25	6.56	8.81	5.25	3.56
Fay, Temple	33	7	100.00	3.50	5.25	8.75	5.00	3.75
Fay, Francis A.	2	11	100.00	5.50	5.25	10.75	5.00	5.75
Fay, Mary M.	11	9	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Fay, Benjamin H.	1	3	100.00	2.75	5.25	8.00	5.00	3.00
Fay, George B.	1	5	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25
Fairbanks, Freeman	10	6	100.00	.50	5.25	5.75	5.00	.75
Fisher, Sarah, Miss	21	4	100.00	5.50	5.25	10.75	5.00	5.75
Fisher, George C.	43-43½	4	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25
Follensby, Lyman	54	11	75.00	.75	3.93	4.68	4.00	.68
Follensby, Francis, and Edmund Bailey Fund	28	8	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25
Gilmore, Nelson	43	7	100.00	9.50	5.25	14.75	5.00	9.75
Gibson, John T.	1	6	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Gilbert, Ella Howe Balcome	31	7	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Glidden, Mrs. John	34	11	100.00	1.50	5.25	6.75	5.00	1.75
Guild, E. A.	19	10	100.00	3.50	5.25	8.75	5.00	3.75
Hammond, John W.	23	2	100.00	2.50	5.25	7.75	5.00	2.75
Harrington, Levi	29	7	100.00	2.50	5.25	7.75	5.00	2.75

Haynes, Frank E. and Sawtelle, Henry L.	24	2	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62	100
Hervey, W. H., and Moore, Artemas	19	1	100.00	1.50	5.25	6.75	5.00	1.75	
Howe, Ashbel	47	3	100.00	8.50	5.25	13.75	8.00	5.75	
Hodge, Roswell B., Heirs of	16	10	75.00	.75	3.93	4.68	3.75	.93	
Howard, Isaac	36	9	75.00	.75	3.93	4.68	3.75	.93	
Hyde, Harriet M.	3	10	100.00	1.50	5.25	6.75	5.00	1.75	
Hyde, Abraham, Heirs of	12	3	100.00	3.75	5.25	9.00	5.00	4.00	
Jennison, Mary	47	7	100.00	6.50	5.25	11.75	6.50	5.25	
Jennison, Joseph	40	3	100.00	1.50	5.25	6.75	5.00	1.75	
Jennison, William	43	6	100.00	2.50	5.25	7.75	5.00	2.75	
Johnson, Addison	25	2	100.00	5.50	5.25	10.75	5.50	5.25	
Johnson, Lewis F. and Nathan L.	51-52	6	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25	
Kaler, Aristed D.	30	7	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25	
Kelley, John	3	13	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25	
Knight and Green	16	6	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25	
Lane, George E.	23	9	75.00	1.00	3.93	4.93	3.75	1.18	
Long, Samuel and Sarah	24	10	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25	

McCarthy, James	21	12	100.00	6.00	5.25	11.25	6.00	5.25
McQuarrie, A.	1	1	75.00	2.75	3.93	6.68	5.00	1.68
Mills, Emma F.	37	8	100.00		2.15	2.15		2.15
Mitchell, Michael	40	9	100.00	4.50	5.25	9.75	5.00	4.75
Mitchell, D. W., Mrs.	38	11	100.00	4.50	5.25	9.75	5.00	4.75
Mixer Lot	25	5	100.00	4.50	5.25	9.75	5.00	4.75
Moore, Susan	19	9	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	3.00	.12
Morse, Harriet E.	20	3	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25
Moulton, Fred, Heirs of	50	6	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Murray, Timothy	28	9	100.00	1.50	5.25	6.75	5.00	1.75
Muchmore, William	14	2	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	6.00	.25
Neal, Harrison	11-1	1-10	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25
Newton, Adoniram J.	51	11	100.00	3.50	5.25	8.75	5.00	3.75
Newton, Albro	29	10	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Newton, Charles H.	48	2	100.00	1.50	5.25	6.75	5.00	1.75
Newton, Curtis	29	3	100.00	6.00	5.25	11.25	5.00	6.25
Newton, Harvey	28	1	100.00	1.50	5.25	6.75	5.00	1.75
Newton, Lincoln,								
Heirs of	27	4	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Newton, Lucy	26	10	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Newton, Stephen and								
Dexter	21	3	100.00	1.50	5.25	6.75	5.00	1.75

Newton, Sullivan B.	34	8	100.00	3.50	5.25	8.75	5.00	3.75
Newton, Sylvester	25	3	100.00	1.50	5.25	6.75	5.00	1.75
Nichols, Mary A., Mrs.	51	7	100.00	6.00	5.25	11.25	6.00	6.25
Nichols, Horace	17	9	100.00	8.50	5.25	13.75	13.50	.25
Nye, Daniel B. and Edmund B. Kaler	42	7	100.00	1.50	5.25	6.75	5.00	1.75
O'Leary, J. Otis	36	11	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Oliver, H. Kimble	E.	B.	100.00	2.50	5.25	7.75	5.00	2.75
Onthank, Charles H.	49-50	3	150.00	5.00	7.87	12.87	7.50	5.37
Onthank, Nahum B.	24	1	100.00	2.00	5.25	7.25	5.00	2.25
Onthank, W. A. and Houghton, Clara I.	21	11	100.00	2.00	5.25	7.25	5.00	2.25
Parker, Hiram, Mrs.	22	1	75.00	1.75	3.93	5.68	5.50	.18
Parker, Charles S.	34	6	100.00	2.00	5.25	7.25	5.00	2.25
Parmenter, Warren, Fund	30	3	100.00	2.50	5.25	7.75	5.00	2.75
Pearl, Lois D.	34	9	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Prentiss, Abner	1½-48	11	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Prentiss, B. F., Mrs.	1½-48	11	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Ring, Susie S.	37	4	100.00		1.95	1.95		1.95
Robinson, J. H., Est. of	A	A	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25

Rogers, Frederick and									
Onthank Fund	51	3	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25	
Safford, Wilbur Pray	44	8	100.00		3.35	3.35	3.00	.35	
Salmon, Patrick	8	12	100.00	2.50	5.25	7.75	7.00	.75	
Sawin, C. B.	25	6	75.00	.75	3.93	4.68	3.75	.93	
Shuttleworth, Peter, F'd	6	10	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25	
Smith, Isaac, Heirs of	52	3	100.00	4.00	5.25	9.25	5.00	4.25	
Smith, Addison, Heirs of	33	11	75.00	.75	3.93	4.68	3.75	.93	
Smith, William W.	15	8	100.00	4.50	5.25	9.75	5.00	4.75	
Smith, Samuel A.	33	6	100.00	4.50	5.25	9.75	5.00	4.75	
Snow, Ella F.	22	8	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25	
Sparrowk, John	35	11	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62	108
Taylor, Abbie A.	45	11	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25	
Taylor, Charles E.	32	12	75.00	.75	3.93	4.68	3.75	.93	
Waldron, E. J.	1	11	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62	
Walker, Lorenzo Fund	18	5	100.00	2.00	5.25	7.25	7.00	.25	
Walker, Willard A., F'd	8	10	100.00		3.00	3.00	3.00		
Ward, Ephraim	23	3	100.00	10.00	5.25	15.25	8.00	7.25	
Ward and Boutlier	29	11	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62	
Webster, Horace F.	2	6	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62	
Williams, Ella E., and									
Sibley Lot	54	4	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	3.00	.12	

Williams and Marshall

Lot	16	5	100.00	8.50	5.25	13.75	8.00	5.75
Whiting, Seth	8	3	100.00	3.50	5.25	8.75	5.00	3.75
Whiting, Edward	16	3	50.00	.50	2.62	3.12	2.50	.62
Whittemore, Marshall	15	5	100.00	14.50	5.25	19.75	5.00	14.75
Woodward, F. B., and John LeBosquet	6-13	8	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25
Wood, Charles A.	30-32	9	100.00	1.00	5.25	6.25	5.00	1.25
Wood and Onthank	38	9	100.00					
Wyman, Hannah W.	52	2A	100.00	3.00	5.25	8.25	6.00	2.25

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT, 1924

Number of volumes in the Library	15,521
Number of volumes added during 1924	147
Number of volumes purchased	101
Number of volumes donated	46
Number of volumes delivered, total circulation	9721
Number of volumes delivered in Southborough	9235
Number of volumes delivered in Southville	386
Number of volumes delivered in Fayville	1864
Largest number of books delivered in a month	897
Largest number of books delivered in a day	94
Smallest number of books delivered in a month	586
Smallest number of books delivered in a day (three days in the year)	0
Average attendance a month	508
Average attendance a day	20
Fines collected	\$43.50
Books delivered in Southborough in the following classes:	
000 General Works	2
100 Philosophy	67
200 Religion	28
300 Sociology	36
400 Philology	7
500 Science	49
600 Useful Arts	45
700 Fine Arts	38

800 Literature	348
900 History	119
910-919 Travel	117
920 Biography	137
Fiction	6587
Current Periodicals	733

Books delivered among Juveniles:

Fiction	657
Non-Fiction, including Science, Fine Arts, History, Literature and Current Periodicals	265

Books delivered in Southville:

Adult Fiction	298
Juvenile Fiction	88
Average attendance	22

The Library is in the South Union School, open Saturdays from 6 to 8 P. M.

Books delivered in Fayville:

Adult Fiction	1427
Juvenile Fiction	225
Current Periodicals	212

The Library is in Fayville Hall, open Tuesdays and Saturdays, from 3 to 4.

Fay Library, also known as Southborough Public Library, is open every day but holidays and Sundays, from 3 to 5, and Wednesday and Saturday evenings, from 7 to 9.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH V. STIVERS,

Librarian

LIST OF BOOKS ADDED DURING 1924

Non-Fiction

000 GENERAL WORKS

Cumulative book index, U. S. Catalogue supplement.
E. E. Hawkins, ed.

100 PHILOSOPHY

Health through will power. J. J. Walsh.
The people's corporation. K. C. Gillette.

200 RELIGION

The Jew and civilization. Ada Sterling.
Life after death. Emanuel Swedenborg.
Love is the law. Author of "The Gospel of Hope."
Twelve tests of character. H. E. Fosdick.

300 SOCIOLOGY

Acts and Resolves, 1924. Mass. General Court.
Annual report, 38th. U. S. Interstate Com. Comm.
Annual report, 36th and 37th Railway. U. S. Interstate Com. Comm.
Biennial survey of education, 1918-20-22. U. S. Bureau Education.
Constitution of the U. S. R. G. Gettell.
Journal of the House, 1923-24. Mass. Historical Society.
Journal of the House, 1924. Mass.
Journal of the 58th annual encampment. Mass. Grand Army.
Journal of the Senate, 1924. Mass.
Official report, 1922. Mass. Spanish War Veterans.
Personal relation in industry. J. D. Rockefeller, Jr.
Reports, vol. 244-246. Mass.

Taxation; the people's business. A. W. Mellon.
 Vital records to year 1849, vol. 3. Gloucester, Mass.
 Vital records to year 1849, vol. 3 and 4, Salem, Mass.

400 PHILOLOGY

Entrance English questions set by the College Entrance
 Examination Board. W. Q. Norton, Compl.

500 SCIENCE

A B C of atoms. B. A. W. Russell.
 Chats on science. E. E. Slosson.
 Proceedings of the U. S. Museum, vol. 62. Smithsonian
 Instit.
 The wonder book of chemistry. J. H. C. Fabre.

700 FINE ARTS

Adventures in my garden and rock garden. Mrs. L. B.
 Wilder
 Gardening by myself. A. B. Warner

800 LITERATURE

Anthology of magazine verse for 1923 and yearbook
 of American poetry. W. S. B. Braithwaite.
 Essays from Sketch Book. Washington Irving.
 The everlasting mercy and the widow in Bye Street.
 John Masefield.
 The Innocents abroad, vol. 1. S. L. Clemens.
 The magical chance. D. L. Sharp.
 The passing of the third floor back. J. K. Jerome.
 Poems of today. A. C. Cooper.

900, 940, 973 HISTORY AND WAR

The French Revolution. H. P. Adams.
 History of Worcester county, 3 vol. E. B. Crane, ed.

Medical department of U. S. Army, vol. 11, Surgery.

M. W. Ireland

The outline of history, 1 vol. complete. H. G. Wells.

The tragedy of Hungary, an appeal for world peace.

L. K. Birinyi.

910-919 TRAVEL

Arizona, the wonderland. G. W. James.

The Lake Superior country. T. M. Longstreth.

The rebirth of Turkey. Clair Price.

Round my house. P. G. Hamerton.

The sylvan year and the unknown river. P. G. Hamerton

Travel notes of an octogenarian. W. S. Smith.

920 BIOGRAPHY

Addresses delivered in memory of Mayer Sulzberger.

R. S. Morris and others.

Autobiography and other memorials of Mrs. Gilbert, formerly Ann Taylor. Josiah Gilbert, ed.

From immigrant to inventor. M. I. Pupin.

The household of Sir Thomas More. W. H. Hutton.

Mark Twain's autobiography, 2 vol.

A memoir of Charles Mayne Young. J. C. Young.

Memories of a hostess, drawn chiefly from the diaries of Mrs. J. T. Fields. M. A. DeWolf Howe.

Personal recollections from early life to old age of Mary Somerville. Martha Somerville.

Pierre Curie. Mme. M. S. Curie.

Right off the chest. Nellie Revell.

Juvenile Books Added During the Year

Beautiful Joe. M. M. Saunders.

Black Beauty. Anna Sewell.

- Games for the playground, etc. J. H. Bancroft.
 The golden windows. Mrs. L. E. H. Richards.
 Hans Brinker or the silver skates. M. E. M. Dodge.
 The heroes or Greek fairy tales. Charles Kingsley.
 In the woods and out. Mrs. I. M. Alden.
 Jim, the story of a backwoods dog. C. G. D. Roberts.
 King of the golden river and Dame Wiggins of Lee.
 John Ruskin.
 Little Lord Fauntleroy. Mrs. F. E. H. Burnett.
 Little Sara's wisdom. Mrs. I. M. Alden.
 Michael, brother of Jerry. Jack London.
 The Nurnberg stove. Louisa de LaRame.
 Our little Philippine cousin. M. H. Wade.
 The pearl lagoon. Charles Nordhoff.
 The Peterkin papers. L. P. Hale.
 Pinocchio, the adventures of a marionette. Carolo
 Lorenzini.
 The rose and the ring. W. M. Thackeray.
 Through the looking-glass and what Alice found there.
 Lewis Carroll.
 Trudy and Timothy. B. C. Porter.
 Trudy and Timothy out-of-doors. B. C. Porter.
 Wild Brother. W. L. Underwood.

Adult Fiction

- Abbe Pierre. J. W. Hudson.
 Bardely's the magnificent. Rafael Sabatini.
 The beloved woman. K. T. Norris.
 Ben-Hur. Lewis Wallace.
 The Bird's Christmas Carol. K. D. W. Riggs.
 Black arrow. R. L. Stevenson.
 The call of the canyon. Zane Grey.

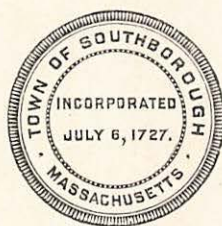
"Captains courageous." Rudyard Kipling.
 The circular staircase. M. R. Rinehart.
 Command. William McFee.
 Danvis folks. R. E. Robinson.
 A Danvis pioneer. R. E. Robinson.
 Further adventures of Jimmy Dale. F. L. Packard.
 Galusha the magnificent. J. C. Lincoln.
 The Gaspards of Pine Croft. C. W. Gordon.
 A gentleman of courage. J. O. Curwood.
 The golden snare. J. O. Curwood.
 The home-maker. D. F. C. Fisher.
 The Interpreter's house. M. S. Burt.
 Julie Cane. H. J. O'Higgins.
 The Jungle book. Rudyard Kipling.
 Kidnapped, 2 cop. R. L. Stevenson.
 Kim. R. L. Stevenson.
 The lengthened shadow. W. J. Locke.
 The little French girl. A. D. Sedgwick.
 The man from Painted Post. J. B. Ames.
 Michael's evil deeds. E. P. Oppenheim.
 The midlander. N. B. Tarkington.
 Mistress Wilding. Rafael Sabatini.
 Out of bondage. R. E. Robinson.
 Peacock feathers. Temple Bailey.
 Pollyanna of the orange blossoms. H. L. Smith.
 Professor how could you. H. L. Wilson.
 Re-creations. Mrs. G. L. H. Lutz.
 Red of the Redfields. G. L. S. Richmond.
 The red riders. T. N. Page.
 The refugees. A. C. Doyle.
 Rip Van Winkle. Washington Irving.
 Rose Mundi. E. M. Dell.

- Rose of the world. K. T. Norris.
 The rover. Joseph Conrad.
 Rufus. Mrs. G. L. S. Richmond.
 Rugged water. J. C. Lincoln.
 Sam Lovel's boy. R. E. Robinson.
 Sard Harker. John Masefield.
 The second jungle book. Rudyard Kipling.
 Shiela of Big Wreck Cove. James Cooper.
 Sir John Dering. Jeffery Farnol.
 So Big. Edna Ferber.
 The Squire. Mrs. L. E. H. Richards.
 The story of the other wise man. Henry Van Dyke.
 Tappan's Burro. Zane Grey.
 Tarzan of the Apes. E. R. Burroughs.
 The three musketeers. Alexandre Dumas.
 Uncle Lisha's outing. R. E. Robinson.
 Uncle Lisha's shop. R. E. Robinson.
 Viola Gwyn. G. B. McCutcheon.
 Westward Ho. Charles Kingsley.
 Where the blue begins. C. D. Morley.
 The White Company. A. C. Doyle.

List of Magazines to be Found in the Library

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| America | Ladies' Home Journal |
| American Boy | Literary Digest |
| American Cookery | Modern Priscilla |
| Atlantic Monthly | National Geographic |
| Bird-lore | Popular Mechanics |
| Forest and Stream | St. Nicholas |
| Garden | Scientific American |
| Good-Housekeeping | Scribner's |
| Harpers' | World's Work |
| House Beautiful | Youth's Companion |
| John Martin | |

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
School Committee
OF
Southborough, Massachusetts
For the Year Ending December 31
1924



REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The School Committee reports to the voters on the condition of the Schools and on the improvements made possible by the generous appropriations of last Spring.

During the summer vacation the following work was done:

At the Centre School, window shades were replaced or repaired. A new ceiling was laid in one room, and metal lathing was used with excellent result. The Committee feels that wherever similar replacing is needed the same should be used. It may be the best method of treating even the walls, many of which will soon need attention.

Sanitary conditions have been improved to the point where they meet the full demands and approval of the State Board, and the same is true in the matter of fire hazards, in so far as may be in a building of such type. In the lower main hall-ways there are now partitions and double swinging doors, all equipped with wired glass. Doorways cut in partitions of rooms on the second floor give access through every room to stairs at either end of the upper hall-way. This provides two exits from each room on that floor to either stair-way, and removes the possibility of pupils on the second floor being "trapped" in case of fire. In the basement, the coal-bins and vestibules are protected by cement plaster. Here, too, an additional exit has been made at

a point well away from the one formerly provided.

Eight first-class fire-extinguishers have been placed about the building. The chimney-hood, blown down by last winter's storm, has been replaced.

The serious trouble, of so long standing, with the sewage-disposal, appears to have been corrected.

At the Southville School, the roof has been repaired and the chimneys have been equipped with proper rain-caps. An additional water supply and a new pump that can be operated on either the old or the new well should remove permanently the long-standing trouble experienced from an inadequate supply of water.

At the Fayville School a new and substantial fence was built, and electric lights will be installed.

At the Centre School the plastering is so badly cracked that from time to time good-sized pieces fall. This is a distinct menace. The Committee is looking into remedying such damage, and eventually all, wall and ceiling-coverings with "sheet rock" or with wire-lath and plaster.

The time cannot be far off when certain units of the heating system will have to be renewed. If a single central unit could be found capable of warming the whole building, no small saving might be effected.

The three outside stairways are badly decayed. They must be replaced as soon as possible.

The employing of an assistant to Mr. Lawson has resulted in a great improvement in the appearance of rooms and hall-ways.

The course in Manual Training has been extended and is still most ably conducted by Mr. Prendiville.

Miss Sullivan resigned in June and Miss Bassett, dur-

ing the fall term—both excellent teachers. Their work is being done by Miss Frances L. Collins and Miss Ceceline Lowe, and done well.

Beyond question the units of the system which have needed improving are in far better condition than for many years. This is true particularly of the High School, where every department is now in the hands of a really competent instructor. By the addition of a fifth teacher, Miss Doris Ward, not only has the “rating” of the school been advanced, but a more equable division of the work has made more effective the efforts of those teachers whose schedules have been too heavy and exacting. There is not a poor teacher in the system. There are several of marked excellence, and the Committee asks the citizens’ support in maintaining this condition.

Certainly some recognition should be made of the efforts of Dr. Bacon and the other members of the Special Committee, who devoted so much of their time to the special work done during the summer at the Centre School.

SAMUEL CLARKE,
CHARLES H. NEWTON,
FREDERICK C. STAPLES,
School Committee

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Southborough:—

I herewith submit for your consideration my third annual report.

Several changes have taken place since the issuance of the last report. Miss Helen Sullivan, teacher of grades three and four, who resigned to accept a similar position in Concord, Mass., was succeeded by Miss Frances L. Collins, a graduate of Framingham Normal School. Miss Florence Bassett relinquished her position as teacher of the first two grades to accept a position at Waltham. To this vacancy Miss Ceciline Lowe, a graduate of Salem Normal School, was elected. Both Miss Sullivan and Miss Bassett rendered very efficient work during their term of service.

Our High School increased in enrollment to such an extent that it seemed imperative to add another teacher to the corps. An excess of seventy-five pupils requires more than three teachers exclusive of the principal. Miss Doris E. Ward of Reading, Mass., a graduate of Boston University, was elected as the fifth full-time teacher.

The writer has the presumption to assert that he can enumerate as many if not more defects in the educational system of Southborough than the majority of the citizens. Many exist. On the other hand, however, he believes it worth while to enumerate the commendable

points that we may determine whether the money appropriated is expended judiciously or otherwise, and that we may be encouraged to appropriate more if necessity requires. Already the citizens are generously supporting the public schools, and it is hoped that many will visit the buildings that they may decide for themselves whether the money which they appropriate is well-expended, and also that they may co-operate with those elected temporary custodians of the schools for further improvement.

A hasty perambulation presents these outstanding features:—

(At Peters' High School—Elementary Schools)

1. Teachers with marked professional spirit.
2. Only two grades per teacher.
3. Number of pupils per teacher not excessive.
4. Every teacher a Normal School graduate.
5. Minimum salary, \$1,000; present maximum, \$1,450.
6. Instruction in Cooking and Sewing provided for girls of grades seven and eight.
7. Instruction in Woodworking, etc., available for boys of grades seven and eight.
8. Drawing taught by special teacher.
9. Music taught by special teacher.
10. All grades adequately furnished with books, maps and supplies.
11. Hall for games, special school exercises and social events.
12. Two janitors devoting full time to the care of the building.

(At the High School)

13. A High School approved by the State Department of Education.
14. Five teachers on full time and three on part time.
15. Woodworking, etc., for boys, under an efficient teacher.
16. Cooking and Sewing for girls, under an experienced teacher.
17. Special teacher for Music.
18. Aggregate salary of the five regular teachers, \$8,900.00.
19. Hall available for school use.
20. School lunches served at noon recess.

(At South Union School)

21. All teachers efficient and of experience.
22. Building inferior to none of its size in the State.
23. Sewing instruction for girls by pupil-teacher from Framingham Normal School.
24. Instruction in Drawing by special teacher.
25. Instruction in Music by special teacher.
26. Hall for school and community use.
27. Provision made at considerable expense for additional supply of water.

(For All Schools)

28. School physician employed.
29. School nurse employed.
30. Policy of discarding all non-adjustable school furniture adopted.

All conditions, however, are not beyond improvement. The Fayville School, which is under an efficient and experienced teacher, has three grades and nearly

forty children—enough for one teacher if only one grade were present. Inadequate preparation for future grades is usually the resultant of too many grades per teacher. This would surely result were the school in the hands of a teacher without much experience. Under the present conditions the school is surprisingly efficient.

Gratitude is hereby expressed for the interest taken in the public schools by the school board, teachers and citizens in behalf of the welfare of our future citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. HARRIS,
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF PETERS HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools,
Southborough, Massachusetts.

I hereby submit my report for the year ending December thirty-first, nineteen twenty-four.

The enrollment for the High School is as follows:

Freshmen:	Boys	15
	Girls	10
Sophomores:	Boys	12
	Girls	8
Juniors:	Boys	4
	Girls	15
Seniors:	Boys	7
	Girls	9
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Total		80

The enrollment for the grades is as follows:

	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	VII.	VIII.	T'tl
Boys	10	6	8	12	10	12	3	4	65
Girls	9	10	6	14	8	6	16	6	75
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Total	19	16	14	26	18	18	19	10	140

A table of the courses offered in the High School and the number of students in each course follows:

Subjects	Students	Subjects	Students
English I.	26	Typewriting III.	7
English II.	19	Typewriting IV.	7
English III.	23	Stenography IV.	4
English IV.	16	Stenography III.	6
Biology	29	Home Economics I.	10
Chemistry III. & IV.	14	Home Economics II.	8
Ancient History I. & II.	33	Mechanical Drawing I.	16
Elementary Algebra	24	Mechanical Drawing II.	9
Plane Geometry	20	Manual Training I.	16
Rev. Mathematics IV.	5	Manual Training II.	9
Latin I.	12	French II.	18
Caesar II.	7	French III.	16
Virgil III. & IV.	4	French IV.	5
Commercial Arithmetic	19	Ameri'n Hist. III. & IV.	23
Bookkeeping III.	11	Music, all students	80
Typewriting II.	18		

The graduates of the class of 1924 have set an unusually high standard for this school in their desire for a continuance of their education. Three girls are attending Framingham Normal School; one boy is pursuing a technical course at Worcester Polytechnic Institute; one boy is taking an agricultural course at Massachusetts Agricultural College; two boys are with the General Electric Company at Schenectady, supplementing their work by taking evening courses in business practice.

During the past year further progress has been made along scholastic lines. This is due partly to the fact that there has not been a changing personnel in the teaching force; also students and parents are co-operating better under the above conditions.

In May, 1924, a Prize Speaking contest was held in the High School Hall. Miss Dorothy Jones of Peters' High won the first prize, adding another honor to the long list which our school has had in the years past.

As in previous years, our athletic activities have been confined to basket-ball and baseball. In both lines of sport the teams have made a good showing and have been a credit to the townspeople and to Peters' High.

It is my belief that a systematic program of renovation should be followed. If the necessary cleaning, varnishing, and repairing were taken care of each year, the citizens of the town would find the maintenance of their schools less expensive.

At this time I wish to recommend several things which should be done during the summer vacation. They are as follows:

1. Install new adjustable seats and desks for grades five and six, Miss Finn's room; also for grades seven and eight, Miss Gertrude Madden's room.

2. Miss Finn's room needs a thorough renovating, such as tinting the walls, washing all the wood work, and varnishing the same.

3. The walls of the basements should be painted again this year, to put them into first-class condition.

4. More reference books should be added to our school library and a sum sufficient to increase the number of volumes should be allowed for that purpose this year.

5. For several months the janitor has had help in his work. There is a noticeable improvement in the appearance of the inside of the building. I believe that

provision should be made to give the janitor help for a longer period of time than at present|

I earnestly urge the parents to encourage habits of regularity in school attendance and to see that their children are not tardy, unless it is absolutely necessary.

In conclusion I wish to thank the Superintendent for his co-operation and the School Committee for their support.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT S. WOODWARD,

Principal

SCHOOL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1924

Number of persons in town between the ages of 5 and 7 years: Boys, 38; Girls, 30; total 68.

Number of persons in town between the ages of 7 and 14 years: Boys, 96; Girls, 93; total 189.

Number of persons in town between the ages of 14 and 16 years: Boys, 26; Girls, 30; total 56.

ATTENDANCE DATA, YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1924

Total Enrollment	343
Average Membership	323
Average Daily Attendance	298

TEACHERS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Albert S. Woodward	Prin. High Sch. Science & Math.		*Tufts College
Regina Madden	Asst. High Sch. French & English		*Boston University
Margaret A. Barry	Asst. High Sch. Com'l Subjects		*Maltby Business School
Evelyn Stowe	Asst. High Sch. Latin & English	Hudson, Mass.	*Vassar
Doris E Ward	Asst. High Sch. History & Biology	Reading, Mass.	*Boston University
Mary Finn	High Sch. Bldg. Grades V & VI	Southboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham
Gertrude L. Madden	High Sch. Bldg. Grades VII. & VIII.	Marlboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Bridgewater
Frances L. Collins	High Sch. Bldg. Grades III. & IV.	Framingham, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham
Ceciline Lowe	High Sch. Bldg. Grades I. & II.	Essex, Mass.	*State Normal School Salem
Margaret Neary	Fayville Primary Grades I.—III.	Southboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham

*Graduate of

Teachers in the Public Schools—Continued

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Julia F. Gleason	Prin. So. Union Sch. Grades VII. & VIII.	5 Thoreau St. Concord, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham
Maisie I. Bliss	So. Union School Grades IV.—VI.	Marlboro, N. H.	High School, Keene, N. H.
Mary Reagan	So. Union School Grades I.—III.	Westboro, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham
Mrs. Alice E. Brigham	Supervisor of Music	Northboro, Mass.	*New England Con- servatory of Music
Martha Tower	Special Teacher Domestic Arts	Hudson, Mass.	*State Normal School Framingham
Marguerite E. Peaslee	Drawing	Northboro, Mass.	
J. Augustus Prendiville	Manual Training	Worcester, Mass.	*Museum School Worcester, Mass.

*Graduate of

BOYS—MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, APRIL 1, 1924

AGE

	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
Grade 1	9	8	1												18
Grade 2		6	6	5											17
Grade 3			6	14	1										21
Grade 4				3	6	1	1	2							13
Grade 5					3	6	6	2							17
Grade 6						5	2								7
Grade 7							4	2	3	1					10
Grade 8							1	5	9	1					16
Grade 9								2	2	2	4	1			11
Grade 10									3	4	2				9
Grade 11											5	2	1		8
Grade 12											1	3	1	1	6
Total	9	14	13	22	10	12	14	13	17	8	12	6	2	1	153

GIRLS—MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, APRIL 1, 1924

AGE

	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
Grade 1	13	6	2												21
Grade 2	1	10	6												17
Grade 3	2	6	6	3	1										18
Grade 4			4	3	2	1									10
Grade 5					5	5	2								12
Grade 6					3	2	6	1	1						13
Grade 7						1	3	2	4	1					11
Grade 8							2	5	8	2	2				19
Grade 9							1		5	5	2	1			14
Grade 10							1	1	3	7	5	3			20
Grade 11											8		1		9
Grade 12											5	1	1		7
Total	16	22	18	6	11	9	15	9	21	15	22	5	2		171

GRADUATION EXERCISES
of the Class of 1924
PETERS' HIGH SCHOOL

PROGRAMME

MARCH

SONG, "The Call to Arms"

Words and Music by G. A. Veazie

SALUTATORY

Margaret Elizabeth McBride

CLASS HISTORY

Herman Chandler Thompson

SONGS, "Joyful Echoes"

L. Streabbog

CLASS PROPHECY

Dana Judson Kidder, Jr.

CLASS GIFTS

Blanche Margaret Spurr

CLASS WILL

Alta May Sargent

PRESENTATION OF SENIOR PRIZES

SONG, "Anchored"

Arranged by G. A. Veazie

VALEDICTORY

Winslow Clarence Wentworth

ADDRESS

Rev. James P. Curran

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

CLASS SONG

Words by Florence Anne Finn

MUSICAL DIRECTOR

Caroline Williams

ACCOMPANIST

Miss Margaret A. Barry

HONOR GRADUATES

Winslow C. Wentworth	Margaret E. McBride
Herman C. Thompson	Blanche M. Spurr

CLASS OF 1924

GENERAL COURSE

Florence A. Finn	Blanche M. Spurr
Dana J. Kidder, Jr.	Herman C. Thompson
Joseph F. Martin	Winslow C. Wentworth
Alta M. Sargent	

COMMERCIAL COURSE

Grace E. Corbett	Margaret E. McBride
Mary E. McBride	Mabel Marcella Mitchell

CLASS COLORS

Maroon and White

CLASS MOTTO

"Honor and Progress"

CLASS SONG

Tune of "Clarrissima"

Dear School of Truth and of Right,
Through thy portals we're passing tonight,
Forth from the guidance of teachers true
And friendships valued too.
To the future we now must turn,
Striving her laurels to earn.
"Honor and Progress" evermore
Must guide the class of '24.

Chorus

Join we all in farewell song
To our school so dear.
Honor her name, her praise prolong
With song and cheer.
Raise her banner high tonight,
Filled with thankfulness
For the ideals guiding aright,
P. H. S.

Though the future may bring joys anew,
New friends and honors, too,
Still we'll always turn to thee
With love and fidelity.
And though we stray far away,
Thy precepts with us will stay,
Will be for us a beacon light,
Guiding in paths of right.

Words by Florence A. Finn

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Tabulation of Appropriations, Transfers and Expenditures—Departmental Accounts, 1924.

Department	Appropriation	Balances on hand	Transfers from other Accounts	From Reserve Fund	Appropriation from Treasury	Total Amount Available	Total Expended	Transfer to Other Accounts	Unexpended Balance
1 Advisory Committee	100.00					100.00	95.50		4.50
2 Selectmen	400.00					400.00	399.88		.12
3 Accountant	250.00					250.00	212.85		37.15
4 Treasurer	350.00					350.00	335.00		15.00
5 Collector	700.00					700.00	657.59		42.41
6 Assessors	975.00					994.97	994.97		
7 Certification Notes				19.97		8.00	8.00		
8 Law	750.00					750.00	587.73		162.27
9 Town Clerk	325.00					325.00	320.25		4.75
10 Election and Registration	650.00					762.85	762.85		
11 Town Hall and Repairs	1,400.00			112.85		1,591.97	1,715.97		
12 Police	2,500.00			191.97		2,500.00	1,903.41		596.59
13 Fire Dept. Maintenance	1,288.00			8.12		1,296.12	1,296.12		
14 Forest Fires	250.00			660.62		910.62	910.62		
15 Fire Dept., New Equip.	2,200.00		1,050.00		1,450.00	4,700.00	2,101.45		
16 Fire—Add. Insurance				80.09		80.09	80.09		
17 Fire Dept., Spec. Repairs	1,600.00					1,600.00	522.80	1,050.00	27.20
18 Fire Dept., Salaries	1,500.00					1,500.00	1,500.00		
19 Forest Fires, Equipment	100.00					100.00	95.50		4.50
20 Sealer of W. and M.	200.00			56.66		256.66	256.66		
21 Tree Warden and Moth	3,500.00			2.05		3,502.05	3,502.05		
22 Tree Warden, Log Law	200.00					200.00	168.15		31.85
23 Inspection Animals	100.00					100.00	100.00		
24 Board of Health	500.00			42.00	183.00	725.00	725.00		
25 Street Lights	5,450.00					5,450.00	5,130.76		319.24
26 Highways, Gen. Repairs	10,000.00	86.41	397.55		300.00	10,783.96	10,133.72	650.24	176.44
27 Bridge Repairs	600.00					600.00	26.00	397.55	176.44
28 Street Oil	3,500.00					3,500.00	3,339.79		160.21
29 Fence Repairs					300.00	300.00	282.55		17.45
30 Sidewalks—F. C. and L.	500.00					500.00	494.45		5.55
31 Snow Removal	500.00		650.24	5.94		1,156.18	1,156.18		
32 Boston Road, Sidewalk	750.00				300.00	1,050.00	951.03		98.97
33 Traffic Signal	287.00					287.00	282.59		4.41
34 Newton Street Widening	1,000.00				315.00	1,315.00	1,237.52		77.48
35 Cordaville Rd., Spe. Rep.	2,500.00					2,500.00			
36 Poor Dept.	2,000.00					2,000.00	1,453.40		546.60
37 State Aid	200.00					200.00	90.00		110.00
38 Schools	40,245.00				500.00	40,745.00	40,103.22		641.78
39 Manual Training	2,500.00					2,500.00	1,828.17		671.83
40 Trade School—Tuition	350.00					350.00	282.16		67.84
41 School Insurance	578.19			117.22		695.41	695.41		
42 So. Un. Sch., Water Sup.	1,000.00					1,000.00	1,000.00		
43 High School, Spec. Fire Rep.					2,500.00	2,500.00	2,155.07		344.93
44 High Sch., Spec. S. Rep.	2,255.45	244.55				2,500.00	1,970.32		529.68
45 So. Un. Sch., Caps, Stacks	300.00					300.00	263.40		36.60
46 Library	1,700.00			3.91		1,703.91	1,703.91		
47 Library, Spec. Repairs	2,255.45	244.55				2,500.00	2,314.82		185.18
48 Reserve Fund	3,000.00					3,000.00	1,547.09		1,452.91
49 Fayville Hall	450.00					450.00	344.15		105.85
50 Fayville Hall, Grading	150.00			4.09		154.09	154.09		
51 Spec. Survey, near Depot				23.50		23.50	23.50		
52 Liability Insurance	356.28			64.76		421.04	421.04		
53 Play Grounds	50.00					50.00			50.00
54 Swimming Pool				12.50		12.50	12.50		
55 Common and T. H. Gr'ds	250.00			13.47		263.47	263.47		
56 Memorial Day	100.00					100.00	100.00		
57 G. A. R. Relief	50.00					50.00	20.00		30.00
58 Town Reports	350.00					350.00	340.50		9.50
59 General Town Ins.	222.65					222.65	46.50		176.15
60 1923 Unpaid P't'g Bills	119.50					119.50	119.50		
61 Cemetery Dept.	2,200.00		85.00			2,285.00	2,284.61		
62 Int. on Notes and Bonds	244.75					244.75	244.75		
63 Int. on Temp. Loans	600.00			119.37		719.37	719.37		
64 Debt Retirement	4,400.00					4,400.00	4,400.00		
Town Hall Acct., Overdraft						124.00			
	\$110,852.27	575.51	2,182.79	1,547.09	5,848.00	121,129.66	107,187.98	2,097.79	6,745.00

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

WORCESTER COUNTY, SS. FEBRUARY 5, 1926

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the FIRST PRECINCT of the said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House, in said Southborough, on

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1926

and to notify the inhabitants of the SECOND PRECINCT of the said Town of Southborough qualified to vote in elections to meet in the South Union School, on

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1926

and to bring in their votes to the Election Officers of the respective precincts for: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Selectman, (for three years); Assessor, (for three years); Overseer of the Poor, (for three years); two Members of the School Committee, (one for one year and one for three years); two Members of the Board of Health, (one for three years and one for two years); Tree Warden, Three Members of Town House Committee, Two Trustees of Fay Library, (for three years); and Two Members of the Advisory Committee, (for three years). And to vote by ballot, Yes or No, on the question "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town?"

The Polls, in each precinct, will be opened at 6:30 o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

And to notify the inhabitants of said Town of Southborough qualified to vote in elections to assemble in a subsequent meeting in the Town House in said Southborough on

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 8TH, 1926,
at 7:30 o'clock, to consider and act upon the following articles of the

TOWN WARRANT

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To hear Reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Art. 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town's use and to pass any vote in respect to the same.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the majority of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 5. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money obtained from the licensing of dogs.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars to be expended by Post 44 of the Grand Army of the Republic for Memorial Day and decorating soldiers' graves.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 5, of the General Laws, or do or act thereon.

Art. 8. To see whether the Town will vote to install additional lights on Mt. Vickory Road, or do or act thereon.

Art. 9. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the planting and care of trees in a Town forest, or along the highways, or take any action in respect thereto.

Art. 10. To see if the Town will vote to approve the transfer of \$125 from Rural Cemetery Commissioner's Fund to General Cemetery account for 1925.

Art. 11. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred sixty-six dollars and twenty-six cents (\$266.26) for the Worcester County Hospital District for Tuberculosis, or do or act thereon.

Art. 12. To see whether the Town will vote to publish the history and records of the World War Veterans of the Town of Southborough, compiled by Robert F. Cheney, or do act thereon.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to erect permanent sign boards on the highways, or do or act thereon.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to buy road machinery and apparatus and to raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act thereon.

Art. 15. To see whether the Town will choose a Committee to make suitable preparations for the celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the incorporation of the Town.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will raise and appro-

priate a sum of \$50 for playgrounds, or do or act thereon.

Art. 17. To see whether the Town will adopt regulations for the operation of motor buses or other motor vehicles for carrying passengers, for hire, over designated routes in or through the Town.

Art. 18. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate money for the construction of permanent highways, under Chapter 90 of the General Laws, or do or act thereon.

Art. 19. To see whether the Town will vote to install lights in or on the Town Hall or Town House grounds, or do or act thereon.

Art. 20. To see whether the Town will vote to accept contributions from St. Mark's School and from the Fay School, in lieu of regular taxes, from which the schools are exempt, and what disposition the Town will make of said money, or do or act thereon.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will take any action in regard to the swimming pool in Fayville, or in regard to supervision of St. Mark's swimming pool in Southborough, if the Town should again be permitted use of same.

Art. 22. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the majority of the Selectmen, to borrow money for any of the appropriations named in this Warrant.

Art. 23. To see whether the Town will appropriate the sum of \$218.37 from funds in the hands of the Treasurer to cover the deficit in the reserve appropriation for the year 1925, or do or act thereon.

Art. 24. To see whether the Town will authorize or instruct the Selectmen to bring a petition for a reduction of electric light rates, or take any action thereon.

Art. 25. To see whether the Town will vote to change the date of the annual election of officers from the first Monday to the second Monday of March and to change the date of the business meeting for action on the Articles in the Warrant from the second Monday to the first Monday of March, or do or act thereon.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money to cover unpaid bills of 1925 as follows:

Highway Dept. to A. E. Hutt for sand and gravel,	\$39.00
Highway Dept. to A. E. Hutt for 50 loads of sand,	12.50

Art. 27. To see whether the Town will vote to dig a cistern in Fayville, near the School House on Oak Hill Road, or elsewhere, for the Fire Department, or do or act thereon.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will accept the German War Gun from the American Legion, Leo Bagley Post, No. 161, and to furnish a suitable location and foundation for it, or do or act thereon.

Art. 29. To see whether the Town will authorize the Selectmen to repair the fence around the Common and appropriate money therefor or remove said fence, or do or act thereon.

Art. 30. To see whether the Town will authorize the Town House Committee to buy a piano for the Town Hall and appropriate money therefor, or do or act thereon.

Art. 31. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to buy additional land for the cemetery, or do or act thereon.

And you are to give notice hereof, by posting up true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, South Union School, Depots, Post Offices and three other Public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meetings.

HEREOF fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the respective precinct wardens, on or before or at the time and place of said meetings aforesaid and to the Town Clerk, as soon as may be before said subsequent meeting.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS this fifth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

RAYMOND H. OVESON,
FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
CHARLES F. CHOATE, 3rd,

Selectmen of Southborough.

A true copy. Attest:

Constable

FIFTY-SECOND
ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Town Officers
OF
Southborough, Massachusetts
For the Year Ending December 31
1925



SOUTHBOROUGH PRINT SHOP
SOUTHBOROUGH, MASSACHUSETTS

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

For 1925

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:—

The report of the Town financial transactions for the twelve months calendar year, ending December 31, 1925.

I have checked over the accounts of the Treasurer, Tax Collector, and Cemetery Commissioners and have found these correct, except as herein noted. There remain some small adjustments to make with the tax and moth accounts for years of 1922 and 1923, also 1924, in order to bring these accounts into balance, the total amount of all of these necessary adjustments being less than \$13.00.

We are returning in unexpended balances about \$6,000 and have a deficit of \$218.37, which can be taken care of by a vote at the annual town meeting to appropriate this amount from surplus, funds in hands of Town Treasurer.

I know of no outstanding unpaid bills for any of the departments for 1925 remaining.

The General Cash Balance for the year ending, as

shown on the balance sheets, amounts to \$25,032.26. Set off against this amount we find the amounts on hand for 1925 Dog Fund, Surplus War Bonus Fund, Cordavill Road Balance, and Cemetery Trust Fund Interest amounting to \$14,392.25, which therefore leaves a little less than \$10,000 free cash in the hands of the Treasurer, for use for general purposes.

There has been a marked improvement in the way the several departments have passed through their properly approved invoices for payment during the past year, with the result that town indebtedness is being taken care of promptly and the monthly bookkeeping work is more evenly divided.

I would recommend a small increase of \$25.00 in the appropriation for the Town Treasurer, for use in the purchase of a check writing machine, which would not only give greater protection to the town checks issued, but would likewise, in my opinion, be of considerable assistance to him in his work.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. BAGLEY,

Town Accountant.

RECEIPTS, 1925

TAXES

Taxes of 1925:

Poll	\$1,040.00	
Personal	21,988.84	
Real Estate	59,953.65	\$82,982.49
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Taxes of 1924:

Poll	\$120.00	
Personal	409.43	
Real Estate	7,591.12	8,120.55
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Taxes of 1923:

Poll	\$45.00	
Personal	43.77	
Real Estate	596.16	684.93
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		\$91,787.97

FROM STATE

General Revenue:

Metro. Water and S. Comm.	\$2,861.14
Bank Tax 1925, from C. of M.	1,281.27
Corp. Tax 1925, from C. of M.	4,288.01
Income Tax 1925, from C. of M.	7,913.53

Corp. Tax previous years	86.36	
Income Tax previous years	385.00	16,815.31

LICENSES

Receipts from:

Junk Dealers	\$15.00	
Garage	10.00	
Used Car Dealers	10.00	
Hawkers	12.00	47.00

PERMITS

Receipts from:

Deerfoot Pipe Permit	50.00
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GRANTS AND GIFTS

From State for:

Vocational Education	\$104.84	\$104.84
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From County for:

Dog Licenses	553.94	553.94
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From Other Sources:

St. Mark's School	1,500.00	
Fay School	1,820.00	
R. M. Burnett	25.00	
W. B. Fay	25.00	3,370.00

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

Receipts from:

1925 Moth Assessments	68.62		
1924 Moth Assessments	11.95		
1923 Moth Assessments	1.89	82.46	

Receipts from:

1925 Private Spraying	238.78		
1924 Private Spraying	106.04	344.82	427.28

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Receipts from:

Town Hall, rentals			273.50
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PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Receipts from:

Sealer of W. and M., fees		33.09	
Reimbursements:			
Forest Fires		41.10	
Receipts from:			
Forestry Dept., Sale of			
Poison	30.30		
State Highway, Trees	47.60		
Planting and Trimming			
Trees	81.11	159.01	233.20

HIGHWAYS

Receipts from:

Reimbursements		
Crodaville Road Construction		
Commonwealth of Mass.	4,949.93	
County of Worcester	4,949.93	
Sale of Gravel	25.90	
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Dept. Public Works	16.00	9,941.76
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CHARITIES

Reimbursements:

Commonwealth of Mass.	
Mothers' Aid	364.50

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Reimbursements:

Commonwealth of Mass.		
State Aid	90.00	
Soldiers' Exemptions	49.82	139.82
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EDUCATION

Receipts from:

Commonwealth of Mass. Tuition	637.00
School Department,	

Sale of Books, Supplies	55.40	
Manual Training Supplies	83.30	
Old Fence, Fayville	10.00	
Town of Hopkinton, Tuition	372.00	1,157.70
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LIBRARIES

Receipts from:

Fines	36.40	
Other Receipts	7.12	43.52

UNCLASSIFIED

Receipts from:

Fayville Hall, Rentals		159.50
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CEMETERIES

Receipts from:

Cemetery Commissioners,		
Care of Lots and Graves	525.50	
Burials	228.00	
Foundations	83.00	
Sale of Lots and Graves	200.00	1,036.50
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From Trust Fund Lots, Interest.

Charges for care 654.86

From Rural Cemetery Comm.

For Improvements 125.00 1,816.36

INTEREST

Receipts from:

1925 Tax Account	97.95		
1924 Tax Account	348.94		
1923 Tax Account	71.99		
General Balances	376.37	895.25	
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Trust Fund Accounts,			
Perpetual Care Deposits	636.25		
Willson Fund, Cash	60.00		
Fay Fund, Cash	64.68		
Rural Cem. Comm. Fund,			
Cash	24.44	785.37	1,680.62
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Total of Revenue Account Receipts, carried forward			\$128,966.82

NON REVENUE RECEIPTS FOR 1925

Receipts from:		
Municipal Indebtedness,		
Temporary Loans, in ant. taxes		\$40,000.00
General Loans,		
Steam Roller—Truck		6,000.00
Cordaville Road Loan		
Authorized 1924	7,500.00	
Authorized 1925	7,500.00	15,000.00

AGENCY

Receipts from:	
State Tax (\$5,760.00)	
County Tax (\$3,821.00)	
State Highway Tax (\$738.20)	
State Moth Tax (\$22.07)	
The above amounts are included in the totals for general tax receipts.	

TRUST

Receipts from:	
Cemetery Perpetual Care	
Deposits for Investment	400.00

REFUNDS

Receipts from:

Departmental,		
Memorial Day Bal.	1.50	
Memorial Day—Duplicated	98.50	
Schools, over paid	43.93	
Fire Dept., over paid	5.10	
Moth Dept.	6.20	
Tree Warden	2.85	
Highway, duplicate	2.50	
Election and Registration	8.00	168.58
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TRANSFERS

From Reserve Fund for:

Advisory Committee	4.43
Selectmen	23.63
Certification Notes	24.00
Law Dept.	15.70
Town Clerk	17.20
Election and Registration	70.75
Police	41.50
Forest Fires	254.14
General Highways	592.15
Sign Boards	17.63
Poor Dept.	280.40
Trade Schools	292.86
Special School Repairs	176.36
Town Shed Repairs	392.87
State Census	109.00

Common and T. H. Grounds	159.20	
Printing Town Reports	6.42	
Interest, Notes and Bonds	126.87	
Interest, Temp. Loans	113.26	2,718.37

BALANCES

Amounts on hand

January 1, 1925:

General Cash	23,624.61	
Fay Library Fund, Cash	11.85	
Willson Fund, Cash	252.33	
Rural Cemetery Reserve, Cash	1,217.76	25,106.55

Total of Non-Revenue Accounts and balances	\$89,393.50
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Total of Revenue Accounts, brought forw'd	128,966.82
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Total of All Receipts and Balances	\$218,360.32
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PAYMENTS FOR 1925

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Advisory Committee:

Printing Reports	\$57.75	
Postage	7.18	
Clerical Service	4.50	69.43

Selectmen's Dept.:

Salaries		
Selectmen	450.00	
Clerk	50.00	
Other Expense,		
Perambulations Town		
Lines	40.00	
Postage and Sta.	4.08	
Printing	3.75	
Autos, carfares	18.50	
Telephone	7.30	573.63

Accounting Dept.:

Salaries	
Accountant	300.00

Other Expense,		
Printing and Sta.	36.83	
Postage	9.50	346.33

State Audit of Accounts:

Department of Accounts		
Services		189.16

Treasurer's Dept.:

Salaries		
Treasurer	200.00	

Other Expense,		
Bonding	40.00	
Travel	10.00	
Printing and Sta.	62.18	
Postage	22.08	334.26

Collector's Dept.:

Salaries		
Collector	500.00	

Other Expense,		
Bonding	100.00	
Printing and Sta.	41.37	
Postage	34.37	675.74

Assessors' Dept.:

Salaries

Assessors	577.50	
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Other Expense,

Postage, Express	1.00	
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Printing and Sta.

Poll Tax Lists	95.00	
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Abstracts	21.84	
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Auto List	5.00	
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Other Printing	13.30	713.64
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Other Finance Accounts:

Certification of Notes	24.00	
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Law Dept.:

Salaries

Town Counsel	530.00	
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Other Expense,

Travel	1.10	
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Telephones	2.60	
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Other fees	2.00	
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Stenographer	45.00	
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Execution for costs	85.00	665.70
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Town Clerk's Dept.:

Salaries

Town Clerk	250.00	
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Recording fees	65.00	
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Postage	4.20	
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Printing	13.00	
Death Returns	4.50	
Oaths Adms.	5.50	342.20

Election and Registration:

Salaries

Registrars	80.00
Election Officers	123.00

Other Expense,

Printing and Sta.	67.75	270.75
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Town Hall:

Salaries and Wages

Town Hall Committee	75.00
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Maintenance

Janitor	636.00
Fuel	138.52
Light	96.76
Janitor's Supplies	40.71

Repairs:

Old Heater	128.19
New Flooring, Labor	84.40
Surfacing and Finish-	
Floor	164.25
Cleaning Chimney	43.07
Screens	5.00

Other Expense,

Removal Ashes	28.00	
Seat Glides	15.95	
Lumber	16.60	
Piano Tuning	2.50	1,399.95

General Heating:

Installation

No. 661 Magee Heater	720.00	
Engineer's Services	51.47	
Carpenter's Services	28.12	
Electrician	3.93	
Concrete Bins	45.00	848.52

Total of payments for General Government \$6,528.31

PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Police Dept.:

Salaries

Regular Officer	\$1800.00	
Dog Officer	10.00	
Constables and Special Police	52.00	
Officer, Swim'g Pool	150.00	

Other Expense,

Team and Auto Hire	29.50	2,041.50
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Fire Dept.:

Salaries

Chief	200.00	
Assistants	70.00	
Janitors	300.00	
Firemen	930.00	1,500.00

Maintenance

Fuel	294.21
Light and Power	32.63
Supplies	51.83
Gas and Oil	54.31

Equipment and Repairs

New Hose	375.00
Trailer for Hose	112.00
Dana Fire Pump	125.00
10 Pump Tanks	100.00
Motor Meter	10.00
Battery	22.50
Installation, Charger	37.83
Other Misc. Equip.	187.76
Janitor's Supplies	42.84
Repairs	11.67
First Aid Kits	28.19
Gravel	15.75
Refreshments	13.00
Search Lights	25.65
Tow Rope	5.00
Clearing Snow	4.00
Rent of Cistern, R. R.	5.00

Lease for Water Pipe		
Line, R. R.	1.00	
Express charges	2.19	1,657.36

New Special Equipment		
Howe Combination Engine		2,500.00

Forest Fires,		
Labor	421.55	
Auto Hire	17.25	
Hose	190.00	
Brooms	45.00	
3 Hand Pumps	30.00	
Supplies	18.46	
Refreshments	35.75	
All Other	4.58	763.59

1924 Unpaid Bills:

Brooms		15.50
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Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Salaries		
Sealer	75.00	
Other Expense		
Travel	25.00	
Rent	75.00	
Supplies and Equip.	11.19	
All Other Expense	2.00	188.19

Forestry:

Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth

Salaries and Wages

Labor	846.31
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Team Hire	128.00
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Other Expense

Arsenate Lead	206.36
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Equip. and Supplies	23.68
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Repairs	2.45
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Other Expense	6.08	1,212.88
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1924 Unpaid Account:

Labor	97.00
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Tree Warden:

Salaries

Tree Warden, 1925	25.00
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Tree Warden, 1924 Ac.	25.00
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Labor	1,965.50
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Other Expense

Hardware, Tools	64.23
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Auto and Team Hire	9.00
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Supplies	81.05
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Equipment	13.10
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Freight	1.55
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Welding	3.50	2,187.93
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Tree Planting, Highways:

Labor	81.50	
Auto	20.00	
Loam	1.00	
Trees	90.00	
Other expense	6.40	198.90
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Total of Payments for Protection of Property 12,362.85

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health:

Salaries

Board of Health	75.00	
Agent	10.00	

Other Expense

State Infirmary	274.00	359.00
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Inspection of Animals	100.00	100.00
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Total payments for Health and Sanitation 459.00

HIGHWAYS

Snow Removal:

Salaries

Superintendent	80.00	
Labor	360.00	

Other Expense		
Teams	146.01	
Equipment,		
Snow Plow	85.00	
Other Supplies	5.02	
Other Supplies and		
Equipment	50.41	
Repairs	3.00	729.44

General Highway Repairs:	
Salaries and Wages	
Surveyor (\$5.00 per	
day)	446.89

Other Expense	
Use of Auto	63.00

Maintenance	
Labor	3,785.82
Teams	1,471.87
Cement	17.25
Gravel (847 lds.)	211.75
Gravel, 1924	65.25
Tile Pipe	8.40
Crushed Rock (32½	
tons)	121.87
Broken Stone	60.56
Gas, Oil, Garage	187.29
Equip. and Misc. Sup.	112.11
Brooms	6.95

Repairs	6.45
Express Charges	6.87
Signs	3.75
Registration Truck	2.00
Tank of Gas (2)	24.76
Tractor, Rep.	112.62
Equipment and Tools	33.55
Cement Mixer	190.00
Blades, Arms and	
Bolts	42.00
Jack	8.00
Tamper	1.50
Brooms	11.00
Shovels	14.50
Picks	6.18
3 R. D. Blades	12.00
Wrenches	6.25
6 Forks	12.00
Gravel Screen	9.50
Metal Culverts	111.02
Steam Roller	
Engineer	266.50
Coal	95.69
Repairs, Supplies	18.44
Inspection Boilers	5.00
Other Expense	
Cold Patch	541.60
Rental of Loading	
machine	353.75
Street Oil, 1924 acct.	

(4900 gallons 65 %)	539.00	
Other Oil, 1925		
(1250, 45 %)	137.50	
(2320, 45 %)	220.40	
(2050, Tarvia B)	287.00	
Sidewalks		
Labor	117.00	9,754.84
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Highway Repairs:		
By Selectmen		
Superintendent	109.37	
Labor	728.50	
Teams	28.00	
Gravel	15.25	
Equipment	13.15	
Repairs	8.42	
Truck Repairs	20.88	
Chains	19.00	
Gas, Oil, Garage	19.28	
Freight Charges	18.25	
Cold Patch	109.20	
Bridge Repairs		
Labor	17.50	
Planking	4.26	
Cement, Gravel	10.88	
Other Expense		
Painting R. R. Signs	8.27	680.21
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Cordaville Road Cons.:		
State and County Aid Cons.		
Advertising	33.90	
Contract Payme'ts	19,778.48	19,812.38

Street Signs:

Labor	26.94	
Signs	230.80	
Freight	8.52	
Supplies	1.37	267.63

Safety Signals:

Signals	25.00	
Post	4.40	
Express	1.33	30.73

Street Lights:

Payments		5,188.10
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Fence Repairs:

Supervision	46.50	
Use of Auto	10.00	
Labor	191.00	
Posts	52.50	300.00

Special Highway Equipment:

B-S Steam Roller No.		
29000	5,990.00	

International Motor		
Truck	3,644.00	9,634.00

Street Oiling:

Supervision	120.00
Labor	1,597.88
Teams	613.50
Use of Auto	24.00
Demurrage	6.00
Equipment	16.06

Oil,

3880 gals. Tarvia B.	563.50	
7992 gals. H. Rd. Oil	879.12	
1000 gals. Tarco B.	132.00	
7764 gals. 45 % R. O.	659.94	
9646 gals. 45 % R. O.	964.60	
1000 gals. Cold P'ch	165.00	
10000 gals. Road Oil	883.00	6,624.60

Special Sidewalks:

Supervision	90.00	
Use of Auto	18.00	
Labor	350.00	
Teams	42.00	500.00

Total of Payments for Highways	\$53,521.93
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CHARITIES

Poor Dept.:		
Salaries		
Overseers	200.00	
Administration		
Groceries and Prov's	609.14	
Coal and Wood	39.00	
Medical Aid	15.65	
Clothes and Shoes	38.85	
Burial Expense	25.00	
Rent and Lights	56.66	
Board and Care	750.10	
Cash Aid	130.00	
Mothers' Aid		
Cash Paid	416.00	
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Total for Charities		2,280.40

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

State Aid:		
Cash Paid	210.00	
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Total payments for Soldiers' Benefits		210.00

EDUCATION

School Dept.:
Salaries

School Committee	300.00	
Superintendent	1,200.00	
Attendance Officer	11.25	1,511.25
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Expenses		
Of Superintendent	160.86	
Printing, Post., Sta.	60.82	
Telephone	76.36	
Committee, Travel Exp.	5.56	303.60
Teaching Salaries		
High School	8,556.25	
Elementary	10,352.10	
Music	262.50	
Drawing	321.84	
Domestic Science	750.00	20,242.69
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Pupil Teachers' Exp.		38.02
Books		
High School	587.50	
Elementary	547.45	1,134.95
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Supplies		
High School	461.46	
Elementary	515.88	
Domestic Science	55.84	1,033.18
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Transportation		
Automobiles	3,158.00	
Electric Cars	1,025.00	4,183.00

Janitor Services

High School	1,584.00	
Elementary	1,506.14	3,090.14

Fuel and Light

Fuel	2,205.53	
Light	80.82	2,286.35

Tuition

Continuation School		74.80
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Buildings and Grounds

High School

General Repairs	593.07	
Janitor's Supplies	124.90	
Other Expense	38.54	756.51

Elementary

General Repairs	98.49	
Janitor's Supplies	57.82	
Painting	50.00	
Pump Repairs	67.53	
Care Grounds	65.30	
Chimney Repairs	81.48	420.62

Furnishings

High School

Gas Cooking Range	168.82	
Desks and Seats	1,416.98	

Desk Chairs	145.75	
Tables	11.00	
Other Equip.	4.49	1,747.04
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Other Expense		
Working Certificates	25.00	
School Census	25.00	
Picture Frames	1.80	
Graduation Exp.	21.01	
Printing	45.64	
Boiler Inspection	6.00	
Express and Cartage	12.02	
Other Expenses	18.97	155.44
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Health		
Inspections		
Medical	100.00	
Dental	50.00	
Nurse	642.00	
Supplies	38.93	830.93
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Insurance		
Barge Driver's Liab'y		414.00
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		38,222.52
Manual Training		
Instruction		
Instructor	1,730.00	
Supplies	329.42	
Light and Power	93.59	

Other Expense	32.81	2,185.82
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Trade Schools		
Tuition Paid		
Boys' Trade School	253.60	
Girls' Trade School	339.26	592.86
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Fayville School		
Special Repairs		
Electric Lights		75.00
South Union School		
Painting		75.00
Special Repairs		
High School, by Selectmen		
On Air Duct	94.02	
Carpenter and Labor	82.34	176.36
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High School		
Special Repairs		
Painting C'tracts	1,490.33	
Metal Ceilings,		
contracts	1475.00	
Carpenter's Con-		
tract	1,703.23	
Electrical Repairs	13.40	
Cement Steps	226.75	
Roofing Repairs	126.76	

Labor	134.00	
Supplies	27.85	5,197.32

Total of all payments for Education	\$46,524.88
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LIBRARIES

Salaries and Wages

Librarian	485.00	
Assistants	61.80	
Janitors	360.00	906.80

Books and Periodicals

Books	208.37	
Periodicals	76.55	284.92

Transportation

Books		38.00
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Bindings

Books		51.40
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Fuel and Light

Fuel	389.60	
Light	33.48	423.08

Buildings and Grounds

Repairs	40.37	
Janitor's Supplies	32.31	
Ashes Removal	16.50	89.18

Other Expense		
Express Charges	.98	
Sta. and Printing	5.00	5.98

Total payments for Libraries		\$1,799.36
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UNCLASSIFIED

Fayville Hall

Salaries		
Janitor	139.00	
Other Expense		
Light	31.58	
Fuel	146.17	
Supplies	12.14	
Repairs, Heater	85.10	
Labor	12.63	426.62

Memorial Day

Paid Q. M., G. A. R.	100.00	
Duplicate checks drawn (returned)	98.50	198.50

Documents

Town Reports	336.00	
Printing (675)		
Distribution	20.42	356.42

To Purchase Gravel Pit

Cash Paid		
Metro. W. & S. Comm.		400.00

Play Grounds		
Rental	40.00	
State Census		
Labor	84.00	
Auto Hire	25.00	109.00
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Agriculture Aid		
County Aid, Cash		100.00
Liability Insurance		
Premium Paid		362.69
General Town Insurance		
Premiums Paid		2,654.80
Town Sheds		
Alterations, Repairs		
For High'ay Equip.	319.04	..
For Tree W. Equip.	173.83	492.87
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Common and T. H. Grds.		..
Caretaker	240.00	
Gravel	20.00	
Painting Flag Pole	45.00	
Seed	.45	305.45
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Street Near Common		
Special Repairs		
Labor	52.50	
Cold Patch	51.25	103.75
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Total of Unclassified Payments		\$5,550.10

CEMETERIES

Salaries and Wages

Commissioners	50.00	
Superintendent	250.00	
Labor	1,806.50	2,106.50

Other Expense

Box Rent, Express	10.50	
Supplies	39.28	
Seed, Fertilizer	139.55	
Printing	8.25	
Other Stationery	21.28	
Repairs to Pump	9.60	218.46

Trust Fund Lots

Charges for Care	654.86
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Total of all Cemetery Payments and Charges \$2,979.82

INTEREST

Interest Paid For:

Temporary Loans	813.26	
Fire Engine Loan	60.00	
Steam Roller-Truck		
Loan	106.67	
Cordaville Rd. Loan	20.20	1,000.13

From Trust and Investment

Fund Income

Willson Fund Inc. 100.00

Fay Fund Inc. 69.76

Rural Cemetery

Comm. Fund 169.51 339.27

Total of all Interest Payments \$1,339.40

Total of all Revenue Account Payments (for-
warded) \$133,556.05

NON REVENUE ACCOUNTS

Loans

Municipal Indebtedness

Temporary Loans 40,000.00

Cordaville Rd. Loan 3,750.00

Fire Engine Loan 1,000.00 44,750.00

AGENCY AND TRUST

Agency

For Payment of

State Tax 5,760.00 ..

County Tax 3,821.00

State Highway Tax 738.20

G., B. T. Moth Tax 22.07 10,341.27

Trust

Investments

Perpetual Care Deposits

received in 1925 400.00 10,741.27

REFUNDS

Amounts Refunded to:

Commonwealth of Mass.

For 1924 Corp. Taxes	35.42	
For 1923 Bank Tax	35.06	70.48

TRANSFERS

Departmental

From Reserve Fund to

Advisory Comm. Account	4.43	
Selectmen's Account	23.63	
To Certify Notes	24.00	
Law Dept.	15.70	
Town Clerk's Dept.	17.20	
Election and Registration	70.75	
Police	41.50	
Forest Fires	254.14	
General Highways	592.15	
Sign Boards	17.63	
Poor Dept.	280.40	
Trade School Tuition	292.86	
Special School Repairs	176.36	
Town Shed Repairs	392.87	
State Census	109.00	
Common and T. H. Grds.	159.20	
Printing Town Reports	6.42	
Interest on Notes and Bonds	126.87	
Interest on Temporary Loans	113.26	\$2,718.37

BALANCES

Balances on hand as of December 31, 1925
at close of books:

General Cash	25,032.36	
Willson Charity Fund Cash	212.33	
Fay Library Fund Cash	6.77	
Rural Cem. Comm. Fund Cash	1,272.69	\$26,524.15

Total of all Payments and Balances, Non Revenue Accounts		\$84,804.27
Total of all Revenue Account Payments (brought forward)		133,556.05
Total of all Payments and Balances		\$218,360.32

TRIAL BALANCES

General Cash	\$25,032.36
Willson Fund, cash	212.33
Fay Fund, cash	6.77
Rural Cemetery Reserve	1,272.69
S. H. Howes, 1922 Tax	5.00
S. H. Howes, 1923 Tax	30.77
S. H. Howes, 1924 Tax	2,205.73
S. H. Howes, 1925 Tax	10,281.26
S. H. Howes, 1923, Moth	2.43
S. H. Howes, 1924, Moth	6.01
S. H. Howes, 1925, Moth	11.69
S. H. Howes, 1924, Spraying	9.33
S. H. Howes, 1925, Spraying	59.68
Cemetery Accounts Receivable	189.00
Commonwealth of Mass., State Aid	210.00
Departmental Revenue	\$399.00
Special Assessments Revenue	89.14
Overlay, 1923	205.14
Overlay, 1924	290.56
Overlay, 1925	364.63
Dog Fund, 1925	553.94
Surplus War Bonus	1,042.26
Overlay Reserve Fund	1,462.78
Excess and Deficiency	23,330.84
Cordaville Road, Balance	10,113.38
Willson Fund, income	212.33
Fay Fund, income	6.77

Overdraft, Reserve Fund	218.37	
Cemetery Trust Fund, interest		359.96
Rural Cemetery Fund, income		1,272.69
Net Bonded Debt	17,250.00	
Highway Loan, Equipment		6,000.00
Cordaville Road Loan		11,250.00
Trust Funds	15,729.13	
Fay Library Fund		1,604.13
Willson Charity Fund		1,000.00
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds		13,125.00
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	\$72,372.55	\$72,372.55

TOWN OF SOUTHBOROUGH, BALANCE SHEET, JANUARY 1, 1926

REVENUE

ASSETS ACCOUNTS			LIABILITY ACCOUNTS		
Cash in Banks:			1925 Dog Fund	\$553.94	
General Balance	\$25,032.36		Surplus War Bonus Fund	1,042.26	
Fay Fund, cash	6.77		Cordaville Road, Bal.	10,113.38	
Willson Fund, cash	212.33		Overlay Reserve Fund	\$1,462.78	
Rural Cemetery, cash	1,272.69	\$26,524.15	Overlay, 1923	205.14	
			Overlay, 1924	290.56	
			Overlay, 1925	364.63	2,323.11
Accounts Receivable:					
1922 Taxes	\$5.00		Departmental Receipts	399.00	
1923 Taxes	30.77		Special Assess. Revenue	89.14	488.14
1924 Taxes	2,205.73				
1925 Taxes	10,281.26		Balances:		
1923 Moth	2.43		Willson Fund, Inc.	212.33	
1924 Moth	6.01		Fay Fund, Inc.	6.77	
1925 Moth	11.69		Rural Cemetery, Inc.	1,272.69	1,491.79
1924 Spraying	9.33				
1925 Spraying	59.68	12,611.90	Cemetery Trust Funds:		
			In Fevest, Bal.	359.56	
Cemetery Dept.:			Surplus of Revenue:		
Accounts Receivable		189.00	Excess and Deficiency	23,380.84	
Commonwealth of Mass.:					
1925 State Aid		210.00			
Reserve Account:					
Overdraft		218.37			
		\$39,753.42			\$39,753.42

DEBT STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1926

LOANS	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1925	Borrowed in 1925	Paid in 1925	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1926	Due 1926	Interest Due 1926
Revenue Loans		\$40,000	\$40,000			
Fire Engine	\$1,000		1,000			
Highway Equip. (Truck, S. Roll.)		6,000		\$6,000	\$2,000	Apr. 10
Cordaville Road		15,000	3,750	11,250	6,250	Oct. 15
	\$1,000	\$61,000	\$44,750	\$17,250	8,250	

INDEBTEDNESS

Net Bonded Debt	\$17,250.00	Town Debt:	
		Highway Equipm't Loan	\$6,000.00
		Cordaville Road Loan	11,250.00
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	\$17,250.00		\$17,250.00

TRUST FUNDS

Trust Funds:		Cemetery Trust Fund	\$13,125.00
Cash and Securities	15,729.13	Fay Library Fund	1,604.13
		Willson Charity Fund	1,000.00
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	\$15,729.13		\$15,729.13

SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS, 1925

Selectmen (3)	\$450.00
Selectmen's Clerk	50.00
Accountant	200.00
Treasurer	200.00
Collector	500.00
Assessors (\$3.50 per day)	
Town Clerk	250.00
Registrar of Voters	80.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures (including \$25.00 for expense)	100.00
Tree Warden	25.00
Board of Health (3)	75.00
Highway Surveyor (\$5.00 per day) (For not more than 200 working days)	
Poor Department (3)	200.00
School Committee (3)	300.00
Cemetery Commissioners (3)	50.00
Inspector of Animals	100.00
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	\$2,430.00

TOWN OFFICERS, 1925

TOWN CLERK

Charles L. Fairbanks

TREASURER

Thomas E. Waldron

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Seth H. Howes

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Charles E. Bagley

SELECTMEN

Raymond H. Oveson	Term expires March, 1926
Francis D. Newton	Term expires March, 1927
Charles F. Choate, 3rd.	Term expires March, 1928

ASSESSORS

Edward F. Collins	Term expires March, 1926
George F. Field	Term expires March, 1927
Francis McNeil	Term expires March, 1928

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Paul S. Lincoln	Term expires March, 1926
Daniel F. Harrington	Term expires March, 1927
Albert Beaton	Term expires March, 1928

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Leo B. Bunker (app'nted)	Term expires March, 1926
Danna J. Kidder (ap'ted)	Term expires March, 1926
M. Irene Salmon	Term expires March, 1928

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Adelbert E. Collins	Term expires March, 1926
Patrick M. Salmon	Term expires March, 1927
Francis D. Newton	Term expires March, 1928

BOARD OF HEALTH

Leo B. Bunker (appo'ted)	Term expires March, 1926
Carl R. Lindstrom	Term expires March, 1926
John L. Bacon	Term expires March, 1927

TREE WARDEN

Harry Burnett

TOWN HOUSE COMMITTEE

William Duncan	Albert E. Hutt
Joseph Ould	

CONSTABLES

Alfred W. Howes	Joseph T. Ould
Daniel F. Kelley	Thomas P. Thompson
Francis D. Newton	W. E. Wentworth

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY

Grace K. Harwood (app.)	Term expires March, 1926
Catherine S. Oveson	Term expires March, 1926
Charles L. Fairbanks	Term expires March, 1927
Thomas P. Lindsay	Term expires March, 1927
Francis J. Maxwell	Term expires March, 1928
Raymond H. Oveson	Term expires March, 1928

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

George H. Burnett	Term expires March, 1926
J. Dallas Corbiere (app.)	Term expires March, 1926
Walter Brewer	Term expires March, 1927
James G. Stockwell	Term expires March, 1927
Thomas H. Fitzgerald	Term expires March, 1928
Edward C. Wells	Term expires March, 1928

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK

D. Clinton Nichols	Nathan F. Wadsworth
Paul S. Lincoln	William T. Aiken

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER

D. Clinton Nichols	Paul S. Lincoln
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PUBLIC WEIGHERS

D. Clinton Nichols	John Sealey
Mary E. Fitzgerald	

FIELD DRIVERS

Edgar M. Smith	William P. Ward
Joseph R. Bagley	John C. Welch

POUND KEEPER

Thomas Hayden

FENCE VIEWERS

John D. C. Bradley

Charles F. Leland

Thomas P. Lindsay

Raymond H. Oveson

WEIGHERS OF COAL

D. Clinton Nichols

Edward C. Nichols

John Sealey

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Charles L. Fairbanks

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

William H. Onthank

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Eugene Closson

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Charles L. Fairbanks

Elizabeth Colleary

Thomas F. O'Donnell

Herbert W. Schnare

BURIAL AGENT

Francis D. Newton

LIST OF JURORS, 1925

As prepared by the Selectmen of Southborough in accordance with Chapter
234 of the General Laws

Bradley, John D. C.	Manufacturer	Sears Rd.	Southboro
Burnett, George H.	Manufacturer	Deerfoot Rd.	Southboro
Burnett, John T.	Manufacturer	Main St.	Southboro
Corbiere, J. Dallas	Executive	Deerfoot Rd.	Southboro
Draper, Allan H.	Carpenter	Winter St.	Fayville
Eaton, Harris D.	Farmer	Flagg Rd.	Southboro
Field, George F.	Salesman	Clifford St.	Southboro
Flannery, John J.	Superintend't	Main St.	Southboro
Fuller, Fred C.	Mechanic	Cordaville Rd.	Cordaville
Green, Walter	Farmer	Woodland Rd.	Southboro
Harwood, Richard G.	Insurance	Main St.	Southboro
Hosmer, Irving S.	Farmer	Boston Rd.	Southboro
Hunt, Donald R.	Orchardist	Framingham Rd.	Southboro
Ladd, Harry L.	Overseer	Cottage St.	Cordaville
Lindsay, Thomas P.	Farmer	Main St.	Southboro
McMaster, Harry A.	Real Estate	Latisquama Rd.	Southboro
Pinkham, William K.	Agent	Cordaville Rd.	Southboro
Sawin, Harry W.	Clerk	Latisquama Rd.	Southboro
Smith, Erwin L.	Electrician	Turnpike Rd.	Fayville
Spurr, Harry B.	Farmer	Main St.	Southboro
Stiver, Harold W.	Gar. Floorm'n	Sears Rd.	Southboro
O'Connell, John D.	Clerk	Fisher Rd.	Southboro

Toombs, Amos J.	Builder	Newton St.	Southboro
Wadsworth, Nathan F.	Merchant	Turnpike Rd.	Fayville
Wells, Edward C.	Farmer	Flagg Rd.	Southboro
Wells, Fred H.	Clerk	Central St.	Fayville
Young, Harry W.	Merchant	Latisquama Rd.	Southboro

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 2, 1925

The following votes were passed under the various articles:

Article 1. Elected Albert E. Hutt, as Moderator.

Article 2. The reports of the various town officers and Committees, as printed in the Annual Report, were accepted, except that of the School Committee. It was voted that the School Committee's report be laid on the table until later in the evening. It was also voted that a Committee of five be nominated from the floor to investigate the special work which had been done at the High School and to make a report of their findings at the next meeting.

Voted that the Superintendent of Schools be Chairman of this Committee. The other members of this Committee were D. J. Butler, E. W. Ward, H. J. McDonald and J. J. Hinchliffe.

Voted to accept the report of the Advisory Committee.

Article 3. Voted to raise the sum of \$114,052.13 for the expenditures as voted by the town, and that the Assessors be and hereby are authorized to deduct all estimated revenue for 1925, and to use \$5,000 from funds now in the treasury, the balance to be raised by taxation.

(145 voted in favor and none against).

(See list of appropriations in the Town Accountant's Report).

Voted to pay from cash in the Treasury:

Library, 1/2 Dog Money, 1924,	307.94
Schools, 1/2 Dog Money, 1924,	307.93
Town House Overdraft	124.
Gypsy & Brown T. Moth, bill	97.
Fire Dept., Brooms, bill	15.50

Voted that the Assessors be authorized to include \$3750 appropriated for Debt Retirement, in their 1925 tax levy.

Voted that the Temporary Moderator (R. H. Oveson) appoint a Committee of three to examine into the question raised by the Town House Committee regarding heating the Town Hall and report to the Selectmen, who shall, in their discretion, have authority to expend not exceeding \$2,500 to carry out the recommendations of such Committee. (Appointed George H. Burnett, Joseph T. Ould and Walter Brewer).

Voted that the Selectmen be requested to make an effort to secure reduced rates for lighting the public buildings and streets, and lower rates for electricity for private users.

Article 4. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1925, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 5. Voted to appropriate \$307.93 of the Dog Money to the Library and \$307.94 to the Schools.

Article 6. Voted to pass the article. Taken care of in the regular appropriations).

Article 7. Voted to pass the article. Taken care of in the regular appropriations).

Article 8. Voted to increase the salary of the Town Accountant \$100, the salaries of the Selectmen \$50 each. and that the salary of the Town House Committee be established at \$25 each.

Article 9. Voted that the town raise and appropriate \$200 for the purpose of planting trees along the highways, and that the money be spent under the direction of the Selectmen and Tree Warden.

Article 10. A motion to authorize the expenditure of \$50 for installation of a gong for the police department was defeated by a vote of 17 in favor and 33 against.

Article 11. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$400 for the purchase of gravel from the Metropolitan Water Board.

Article 12. Voted that \$100 be appropriated to establish safety signals on the highways.

Article 13. Voted to appropriate \$200 to erect permanent guide boards along the highways.

Article 14. Voted that the sum of \$9,844 be appropriated and expended under the direction of the Se-

lectmen and Highway Surveyor, for the purchase of a new 2½-3 ton truck, Snow Plow and Steam Roller; that \$3,844 of this amount be paid from the revenue received in 1925 and that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to provide the balance by the issue of notes to the amount of \$6000, to be payable \$2,000 each year during 1926, 1927 and 1928.

(106 voted in favor and 28 against).

Article 15. Voted to discontinue the election of Constables by ballot.

Article 16. Voted to appropriate \$50 for playgrounds.

Article 17. Voted that a Committee be appointed by the Chair to study the matter of disposition of the Surplus War Bonus Fund of \$1,042.26 and make a report at the next Annual Town Meeting. Committee appointed: Francis D. Newton, John T. Burnett, Seth H. Howes, Charles E. Bagley and Walter A. Hutt.

Article 18. Voted to appropriate from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer \$236.50 to pay an overdraft of \$124 of the Town House Committee and the following unpaid bills: Gypsy and Brown Tail pay-roll \$97 and \$15.50 for Fire Department Brooms.

Article 19. Voted to appropriate \$10,000 for the construction or rebuilding of the Cordaville Road Two thousand five hundred dollars of this amount to be paid from the revenue of 1925, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is, au-

thorized to provide the balance by the issue of notes to the amount of \$7,500, payable \$2,500 in 1926, \$2,500 in 1927 and \$2,500 in 1928.

The vote was passed unanimously.

Article 20. Voted that the Town accept the contributions from St. Mark's School and the Fay School, and that the money be placed in the Town Treasury.

Article 21. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$100 to the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, Home Economics, or Boys' and Girls' Club Work.

Article 22. Elected Herbert E. Banfill, as Director, under the provisions of Chapter 128 of the General Laws.

Article 23. Voted that a Committee, consisting of the Board of Selectmen and the Advisory Committee, investigate and consider the matter of erection of a building for the permanent housing of town equipment and apparatus, and report at some future meeting.

Article 24. Voted that the money received from the insurance on the bath house be placed in the Town Treasury.

Article 25. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money for any of the appropriations named in this Warrant.

Article 26. Voted to pass the article. (See list of appropriations).

Article 27. Voted that the Selectmen and Dr. J. L.

Bacon be a Committee to confer with the Metropolitan District Commission, in regard to a swimming pool, and report at the next meeting.

Voted to dissolve the meeting.

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,

Town Clerk.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, DECEMBER 3, 1925

Article 1. Elected Albert E. Hutt as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted to appropriate not exceeding \$1865 from funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer to pay unpaid bills of Highway Department.

Article 3. Voted to appropriate from funds in the Town Treasury one hundred dollars for repairs on Marlboro Road.

Voted to dissolve.

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,

Town Clerk.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT, 1925

Births Registered, males	18
Births Registered, females	20
Marriages recorded	18
Deaths recorded, males	20
Deaths recorded, females	12
Fees for recording same	\$62.00
Dogs licensed, females	60
Dogs licensed males	171
Paid County Treasurer	\$648.00
Dog license fees	\$46.40
Hunting and Fishing licenses issued	46
Hunting and trapping licenses issued	25
Fishing licenses issued	17
Minor trapping licenses issued	6
Paid Department of Conservation	124.50
Fees for issuing licenses	23.50
Fees received for filing marriage intentions	\$13.00
Fees received for birth certificates	\$1 75
Fees received for recording mortgages	\$12.00

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,

Town Clerk.

BIRTHS

- Feb. 11. Holmes, Gilbert, son of Charles H. and Hazel (Rowell) Holmes.
- Feb. 26. Harris, Mara Jeanne, daughter of James A. and Mara (Grant) Harris.
- Mar. 8. Minnucci, Leglio, son of Dominic and Mary (Dangelo) Minnucci.
- Mar. 22. Castinetti, Gino, son of Joseph and Perina (Walla) Castinetti.
- Apr. 4. Patterson, (cannot be learned), daughter of James T. and Irene M. (Storer) Patterson.
- Apr. 9. Morrissini, Velma, daughter of Antonio and Bertha (Giombetti) Morrissini.
- Apr. 11. Varnum, Ruth Francis, daughter of William E. and Philomena (Valade) Varnum.
- Apr. 15. Fernald, Harold Ellsworth, son of Walter Ellsworth and Elsie Allison (Hunt) Fernald.
- Apr. 21. Misener, Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Lawrence and Hilda (Cody) Misener.
- May 2. Prosperi, Teresa, daughter of Louis and Elizabeth (Magi) Prosperi.
- May 3. Bogart, Grace Mildred, daughter of Merle W. and Mildred E. (Pethick) Bogart.

- May 12. Ruggles, Lois Ann, daughter of Alvah and Pearl (Hutt) Ruggles.
- May 18. Bertonazzi, Yolanda Louise, daughter of Louis and Louise (Augustinni) Bertonazzi.
- June 4. Fantony, Charlotte Marcella, daughter of Charles and Mary (Mitchell) Fantony.
- June 6. Bagley, Joseph Robert, son of Joseph R. and Bridie M. (Sheehan) Bagley.
- June 7. Spinachi, Frances Lucy, daughter of Giovanni and Marie (Samilloni) Spinachi.
- June 16. Tombari, Americo, son of Fred and Olga (Sora) Tombari.
- July 27. Tomassetti, Raymond, son of Gino and Stella (Pagaio) Tomassetti.
- July 29. Burr, Kathleen, daughter of Frank and Kathleen (Frizzell) Burr.
- Aug. 3. Pascoe, Joseph Henry, son of Francis H. and Margaret (Treglown) Pascoe.
- Aug. 12. Brussi, Margaret Elizabeth, daughter of Charles and Caroline (Bertonassi) Brussi.
- Aug. 23. Latulippe, Harold James, son of John and Octavia (Wheelock) Latulippe.
- Aug. 26. Lepore, David John, son of Dominic and Ida (Phillipo) Lepore.
- Sept. 16. Mahoney, Rodert Daniel, son of Robert D. and Angeline (Guertin) Mahoney.
- Sept. 16. Tobin, William, son of John and Catherine (Burke) Tobin.

- Oct. 3. Sarajian, Grace Zabel, daughter of Charles and Margaret (Morris) Sarajian.
- Oct. 6. Johnson, Mary Sessions, daughter of Robert H. and Ilma M. (Sessions) Johnson.
- Oct. 20. Baldelli, Carl Joseph, son of Elio and Rose (LaBossiere) Baldelli.
- Nov. 9. Bartolini, Louis Julio, son of Antonio and Mary (Cusiano) Bartolini.
- Nov. 13. Mauro, Charles Willard, son of Charles and Florence C. (Gray) Mauro.
- Nov. 22. Dermon, Mary Elise, daughter of William S. and Vesta L. (Bacon) Dermon.
- Nov. 25. Bertonassi, Margaret, daughter of M. and A. (Berni) Bertonassi.
- Nov. 27. Thorpe, Helen Mary, daughter of Frank T. and Minnie C. (Chase) Thorpe.
- Nov. 28. Forrest, Kenneth David, son of Lewis A. and Marjorie L. (Bond) Forrest.
- Dec. 1. Lundberg, Robert Milton, son of Robert M. and Velma (Paul) Lundberg.
- Dec. 21. Cebelli, Olivio, son of Aldo and Eunice (Fay) Cebelli.
- Dec. 1. Geoghegan, Margaret, daughter of James and Helena (Devitt) Geoghegan.
- Dec. 28. Taylor, Marion Ruth, daughter of Clarence A. and Beatrice V. (Frail) Taylor.

MARRIAGES

- Mar. 18. Charles Mauro to Florence Evelyn Gray
Apr. 14 Reginald W. Hadley to Mary Elizabeth Whelan
Apr. 14. Henry Berry to Margaret Patterson
Apr. 15. Frank Kenneth Beals to Olive Edith Banks
Apr. 18. Mauro C. Villano to Mary Guarnieri
Apr. 19. Robert James Metcalf to Alta Evelyn Tucker
Apr. 25. John Francis Cogan to Mary Cecilia Galigan
Apr. 29. Mark Ellsworth Fernald to Sophia Ellen Silver
May 31. Joseph Mauro to Urula Pessolano
June 27. Clinton DeWitt Park to Annie Stanton Marston
June 27. William Leo Dalton to Alice Corbett
June 30. Donald R. Blood to Ethel May Lincoln
July 5. John Howard Miller to Charlotte Evelyn Robbins
Aug. 10. Aldo Cebelli to Eunice Fay
Sept. 12. George Thompson Taylor to Winifred Mary Turnbull
Sept. 17. Claude Wright Knapp to Annis Florence Grant
Sept. 21. Peter Mario Aspesi to Rose Felicia Bianchi
Sept. 26. Frederick Raymond Wilson to Cornelia Brown Kelley

DEATHS

- Jan. 10. Alexander Gilmore, 65 years
Jan. 27. Mary Boothby, 19 years, 3 months, 29 days
Jan. 30. Daniel Antonacci, 6 months, 21 days
Feb. 5. George Coyne, 19 years, 5 days
Feb. 13. William Forrest Onthank, 66 years, 9 months, 5 days
Feb. 13. Delia G. Butler, 59 years 19 days
Feb. 21. Samuel Fisk Draper, 89 years, 8 months, 13 days
Apr. 1. Margaret A. Hudson, 70 years, 7 months, 18 days
Apr. 7. Carlo Bina, 46 years, 1 month
Apr. 17. Henry Opdenbrouw, 88 years, 6 months, 21 days
Apr. 23. George Alphonso Sanders, 68 years, 4 days
May 9. Isadora Stivers, 65 years, 8 months
May 9. Ellen McDermott, 74 years
June 4. Minnie Grate, 53 years
June 9. Arthur E. Smith, 50 years, 5 months, 1 day
June 15. Thomas Hipolite Tude, 54 years, 5 months, 5 days
June 15. Lester Winfield Barney, 58 years, 2 months, 16 days
July 10. Ellen C. Ward, 70 years, 2 months, 28 days

- July 12. Patrick Donahue, 94 years
- July 25. Martha E. Seddon, 48 years, 1 month, 8 days
- July 29. Lois Deborah Pearl, 85 years, 2 months, 13 days
- Aug. 2. James Joshua Telfer, 67 years, 5 months, 26 days
- Aug. 20. Abbie Eliza Steele, 67 years, 3 months, 6 days
- Sept. 12. Joseph Martin Sellers, 71 years, 9 months, 5 days
- Sept. 24. Isabelle Waugh Walker, 73 years, 15 days
- Oct. 3. Robert Griffin, 2 years, 8 months, 9 days
- Oct. 17. John J. Cody, 57 years
- Nov. 22. Plato Dana Moore, 70 years, 11 months, 21 days
- Dec 8. William Albert Gould, 63 years, 8 months, 16 days
- July 20. Katherine Barney, 59 years, 9 months, 23 days
- Dec. 1. Henry W. Simpson, 15 years, 2 months, 17 days
- Dec. 18. Mary Edith Morrison, 46 years, 8 months, 13 days

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31st, 1925:

Total number of stables inspected	67
Number of dairy cows inspected	758
Number of young cattle inspected	176
Number of bulls inspected	40
Total number of cattle inspected	974
Number of swine inspected	40
Total number of animals inspected	1,014
Number of cattle quarantined	1
Number of cattle killed	1
Number of cattle released	0

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. ONTHANK,

Inspector of Animals

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, 1925

Inventory of State Standards:

One Office Scale

One brass yard measure

Weights: 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 20, 25, 50 lbs.

Weights: $\frac{1}{16}$, $\frac{1}{8}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, 1, 2, 4, and 8 oz.

Dry measures: 1, 2, 4, 8, and 16 qts.

Liquid measures: 1 gill, $\frac{1}{2}$ pint, 1 pint, 1, 2, and 4 qts.

Working Equipment:

Sealer's balance

Twenty 50-lb. weights

Weights: 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 25 lbs.

Weights: $\frac{1}{16}$, $\frac{1}{8}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, 1, 2, 4, and 8 oz.

Dry measures: 1, 2, 4, 8, and 16 qts.

Liquid measures: one 4 qt.

Two glass graduates

One drill

Two seal presses

One desk

One safe

5 gallon gasoline testing measure

1 gallon gasoline testing measure

Number of scales sealed	59
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Number of weights sealed	209
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Number of liquid measures sealed	34
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Gasoline pump stops sealed	75
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Fees received and paid town treasurer	\$33.09
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CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,

Sealer of Weights and Measures

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Your Selectmen are pleased to report that they have succeeded in making a tentative agreement with the State Highway Commission and the County Commissioners whereby the State, County and Town each are to put in ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) towards the completion of Cordaville Road. This is double the proportion secured from the State and County last year. The amount to be appropriated by the Town has already been raised and is in the hands of the Town Treasurer. Further negotiations have been entered into with respect to the Boston, Framingham & Marlboro Road. The County Commissioners have agreed to go ahead on an equal basis with the Town, and the Chairman of the State Highway Commission is looking into the matter. An appropriation of \$10,000 is recommended to be thus applied, if necessary.

Owing to the illness and subsequent death of the Highway Surveyor, the Selectmen took upon themselves the putting in order of the accounts in this department. They made a few necessary repairs to carry traffic through the winter, repaired the bridge over the Boston & Worcester Street Railway on Middle Road, and after a vote of the Town, at its special meeting, made repairs on the Boston & Marlboro Road, as voted.

The Selectmen secured a snow plow from the State

to attach to the Town truck, for the purpose of keeping the streets clear of snow during the winter.

The question of motor buses is imminent. Some petitions have been refused. A conditional and revocable license was granted to the Boston & Worcester Street Railway Co., with certain restrictions. Suitable rules and regulations should be adopted by the Town governing the licensing and operation of bus lines.

The Selectmen and Committee on repairing and renewing the heating plant for the Town Hall secured expert opinion and advice from heating experts and engineers, and in accordance with this advice repaired the small furnace at little expense, and installed a new large furnace instead of the old one, at a cost of about \$800.

The Selectmen and the Town Accountant requested a State audit of the Accountant's books. This was done and the books were found correct. Although a few minor suggestions were made, the work of our Town Accountant and department officials was highly commended.

In the annual appropriation for general repairs on the highway, for the current year, your Selectmen strongly recommend that sufficient money be provided to permit of minor repairs throughout the summer and fall, rather than letting the roads go to wreck during this period, as has been the custom heretofore.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND H. OVESON,
FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
CHARLES F. CHOATE,
Selectmen of Southborough

REPORT OF TOWN HALL COMMITTEE FOR 1925

Your committee requests appropriations for 1926 as follows:

For Salaries	\$75.00
For General Maintenance	1,500.00

This is slightly more than asked for in 1924 and is to take care of the increased price and extra coal that we will have to purchase in 1926. We expect the other items, as shown in our 1925 expenditure, to amount to about the same figures for 1926.

For the purchase of a piano	\$300.00
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The old piano has been placed in the lower hall and is in very poor condition. It would not be advisable to expend money on it and we believe that with an appropriation as asked for, \$300.00, we can arrange to replace the old instrument with one more modern and satisfactory.

For Floor Covering	\$100.00
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Having the past year expended some \$250.00 on the main floor, which is now in very good condition, we desire to protect the part of the floor used most generally, by suitable floor mats or runners, which we expect to provide if the above amount is made available.

For Improved Lighting

\$100.00

We ask this amount for use in improving the lighting fixtures in the ante-rooms and lower town hall. We can save something on our lighting expense and at the same time greatly increase the efficiency of the lighting over present conditions.

The hall has been used quite regularly during the past year. We believe it advisable to expend a little money each year for permanent improvements. The walls and ceiling of both the lower and upper hall, as well as the ante rooms and kitchen are badly in need of cleaning and painting. We believe that it would be well for the Town to consider this need with the idea of at least making a start on improving this condition as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

A. E. HUTT,
J. T. OULD,
W. DUNCAN,

Town House Committee.

February 5, 1926

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE SOUTHBORO FIRE DEPARTMENT

Report of the Chief of the Southboro Fire Department for the year ending 1925.

Total number of fires 34, including house and forest fires.

EQUIPMENT

- 1 Howe Service Pumper.
- 1 Howe Service Chemical Combination.
- 1 Atterbury Ladder Truck, 250 feet Truss Ladders.
- 2 Ford Chemical Combinations.
- 1 Ford Roadster for forest fires.
- 1 Trailer, equipped with 1000 feet of inch hose for forest fires.
- 1 Erick Fire Alarm.
- 1 Pipe Line in Southville, equipped with valves for hose connection.
- 1 Suction hydrant near Common.
- 1 Cistern near Newton Block.

The membership of the department is composed of 1 Chief, 3 Captains, 4 Lieutenants, 28 call men.

During the year we answered two calls for assistance from the City of Marlboro, and one from Framingham.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I don't think the citizens of Southboro realize how

much valuable property they have in the fire station at Southboro. There is at present about \$15,000 worth. If a fire should start in the station, any time after midnight it would be impossible to save anything.

I would suggest that the janitors' positions at the Town Hall and Library be combined, together with the care of the Town House grounds, caretaker of the fire house and a permanent man be appointed. By building a room onto Fire Station he could sleep there.

Fayville is the only village without some fire protection, I recommend a 20,000 gallon cistern to be situated near the F. D. Newton residence.

I would like to add one more thing in regard to the safeguarding of the property at Southboro Station. The house was broken into, last summer, and one of the machines started and run back and forth across the floor and run into the front of the building, pushing same out of line so badly that the front of building had to be jacked up before the doors could be opened. If a fire had occurred during that time we could not have taken the apparatus out.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE CLOSSON,
Chief Southborough Fire Dept.

ASSESSORS' REPORT, 1925

	Valuations	
	April 1, 1924	April 1, 1925
Real Estate	\$2,317,720	\$2,391,355
Personal Property	750,422	805,821
Total Valuation	3,076,142	3,197,176
Town Appropriations	\$114,052.13	
State Tax	5,760.00	
State Highway Tax	738.20	
Auditing Town Accounts	189.16	
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth	22.07	
County Tax	3,821.00	
Overlayings for current year	495.56	

Total for Expenditures	\$125,078.12
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Deduct Estimated Receipts as follows:

Cash in Treasury, voted by Town	\$5,000.00
Income Tax from State	6,857.53
Corporation Tax	4,900.00
Bank Tax	1,200.00
From Fay School	1,820.00
From St Mark's School	1,500.00
Met. Water and Sewerage Board in lieu of Tax on land	2,861.14
Licenses	25.00
Fines	75.00
Special Assessments, Moth Tax	80.31
Private Spraying	298.46
General Government	375.00

Protection of Persons and Property	350.00	
Permits	50.00	
Charities	600.00	
Soldiers' Benefits	200.00	
Schools	2,700.00	
Libraries	45.00	
Unclassified Accounts	100.00	
Cemeteries	1,200.00	
Interest on Deposits	300.00	
Interest on Taxes and Assessm'ts	500.00	
Interest on Perpetual Care Secur- ities	650.00	
Total deductions		\$31,637.44
Amount Committed to Collector on property and Polls		\$93,390.68
For Moth Tax		80.31
For Private Spraying		293.46
Number of polls assessed, 656.		
Rate of Tax on \$1000, \$28.80.		
Taxes added, \$4.00.		
Taxes Abated, 1923 Assessments		
3 Soldiers' Poll Taxes	9.00	
5 Poll Taxes	25.00	
Personal (uncollectable)	8.97	
Real Estate	5.75	\$48.72
Taxes Abated, 1924 Assessments		
2 Poll Taxes		4.00
Taxes Abated, 1925 Assessments		

8 Poll Taxes	16.00	
Personal	106.29	
Real Estate	8.64	130.93
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Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD F. COLLINS,

GEORGE F. FIELD,

FRANCIS McNEIL,

Assessors of Southborough

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**1923**

Balance Uncollected, last report	\$750.99	
Interest collected	73.49	\$824.48
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Taxes abated	39.72	
Paid Town Treasurer	758.81	
Taxes uncollected	25.95	824.48
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TAXES UNCOLLECTED, 1923

John W. Luce	19.05	
John O'C. Fitzgerald	6.90	25.95
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1924

Taxes received late, see last report	281.59	
Tax overpaid	2.00	
Interest collected	344.87	
Taxes uncollected, last report	10,183.43	10,812.49
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Taxes abated	4.00	
Taxes paid Town Treasurer	8,587.48	
Taxes uncollected	2,220.91	10,812.49

TAXES ABATED, 1924

2 Poll Taxes		4.00
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TAXES UNCOLLECTED, 1924

Daniel Antonacci	.30	Garabed Sarajian	66.00
Matilda C. Banks	136.73	Edward C. Nichols	35.00
Louis Bertonazzi	86.28	Raym'd F. O'Connell	2.00
Peter Bosselli	3.20	Luciano Perini	124.75
Chas. H. Bullens	2.00	Louis Pesini	2.00
Edward Burns	2.00	Felix Phillippo	2.00
John Burroughs	2.00	Mary C. Quinn	27.00
Bernard J. Butler	3.20	Cecil Rodenizer	2.00
William E. Collins	2.00	Henry Riggo	2.00
John W. Crawford	3.20	Frank A. Rivinius	137.00
Avis Cummings	91.63	Goldney Robinson	2.00
Emily M. Currie	20.70	Peter Sabateni	12.50
Nelson W. Dix	2.00	George A. Sanders	74.00
Allen H. Draper	21.20	Sinio Sasseville	2.00
Robert M. Draper	42.28	John Sealey	208.64
Tony DeAngelo	2.00	Oliver S. Slawson	13.49
Waldo A. Fay	94.14	Louise H. Sundberg	79.95
George T. Firmin	8.90	Mabel A. Ward	165.69
A. W. Fitzgerald	172.85	John Watkins	15.00
Henry H. Flanders	18.50	David Watkins	113.63
Henry H. Flanders		John L. Watkins	2.00
and Mary Gray	129.00	Arlington Wilde,	
Joseph Furlong	2.00	Balance	43.95
Nicholas Gatto	2.00	Selectmen, spraying	4.00
John Gould	2.00	NON-RESIDENTS	
Reginald Hadley	14.90	Heirs of William	
George N. Hull	3.05	McLaughlin	4.50
George E. Lanctot	2.00	Tremblay and	
Dorothy Leaycraft	19.20	Fletcher	15.00
John W. Luce	34.55	Nicholas S. Ziko	30.00
Hugh J. McDonald	67.50	Leslie R. Brown	15.00
John H. Miller	2.00	May Davis Folk	18.00
Dominic Minnucci	2.00	Frank J. Salmon	4.50
Henry Mitchell	2.00		
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			\$2,220.91

TAXES, 1925

Taxes committed by warrant	\$93,769.45	
Taxes added	4.00	
Interest collected	97.95	\$93,871.40
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Taxes abated	130.93	
Paid Town Treasurer	83,387.84	
Taxes uncollected	10,352.63	93,871.40
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TAXES ABATED, 1925

8 Poll Taxes	16.00
Personal Tax	106.29
Real Estate Tax	8.64
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	\$130.93

TAXES UNCOLLECTED, 1925

Julio Augustinelli	\$2.00	Charlotte McMaster	
Daniel Antonacci	2.00	er	115.33
Misag Aselbakian	2.00	Mary A. McMaster	312.50
Joseph R. Bagley	59.31	Thomas F. Manning	41.17
Gordon Bailey	1.01	George Matatall	7.04
Henry L. Bailey	18.99	Leo E. Mattioli	22.16
Clarence Baker	2.00	John H. Miller	7.76
Eugene and Firmina Baldelli	.82	James Minnucci	68.96
Matilda Banks	102.51	Dominic Minnucci	2.00
Antonio Bartoloni	99.63	Lawrence Misener	11.22
Frank K. Beals	8.05	Henry L. Mitchell	9.92
Raymond Beals	2.00	Harry Moore	2.00
Robert H. Beals	2.00	Jessie B. Moore	29.09
Robert H. and		Sheldon Morrill	2.00
		Antonio Morrazini	61.20

Edith S. Beals	87.84	Garabed Sarajian	64.99
Chester M. Bean	80.48	Edward Nichols	45.20
John Beck	223.69	Chas. E. O'Connell	7.76
Arthur Bell	2.00	Edith Oland	75.38
Louis Bertonazzi	56.13	Francis H. Pascoe	134.89
Judson A. Blake	2.00	Herbert Pendleton	28.50
Archie Blood	8.05	Herbert and Vera	
Melbourne Bond	55.68	G. Pendleton	74.16
Norman Brunell	19.28	Frank P. Perini	2.00
William P. Burke	17.84	Luciano Perini	168.68
Charles Bullens	2.00	Louis Pesini	2.00
Harry Burnett, 2d.	10.64	Leo J. Pesini	1.15
James Cadigan	2.00	Felix Phillippo	2.00
George Campbell	3.00	Giovanni Phillippo	2.00
George and Jessie		Giovanni and Colos-	
R. Campbell	72.00	tra Phillippo	57.60
John A. Campbell	2.00	William K. Pinkham	72.76
Caesar Carboni	65.52	Joseph W. Pink-	
Walter Cody	2.00	ham	146.17
Angelo Cornasini	2.00	Gosatint Pensolfini	3.44
Mabel P. Conder	362.18	J. Wilmer Pleasants	2.00
Chas. M. Cummings	60.99	Charles Prest	2.00
Joseph F. Cummings	2.00	Charles Quigley	2.00
Avis Cummings	89.39	Mary C. Quinn	31.68
Emily M. Currie	29.95	Joseph Ramelli	2.00
Tony DeAngelo	2.00	Frank A. Rivinius	2.00
Daniel Daughan	39.44	Frank A. and Emma	
Eva B. Devis	195.84	R. Rivinius	131.04
Louis DeGregorio	2.00	Elgen R. Rowe	3.50
Neyson W. Dix	2.00	Fred C. Ruddy	9.78
Alice M. Draper	107.42	Francis Salmon	2.72
Samuel F. Draper,		Rose Salmon	5.76
Estate of	20.16	Nellie Sanders	69.12
Clifton O. Dyer	66.24	John Sealey	215.12
Waldo A. Fay	91.23	Martha Seddon	43.26
John W. Finn, Jr.	172.26	William J. Seddon	2.00
George D. Firmin	2.00	Thomas Skinner	50.40
Catherine Firmin	4.61	Oliver S. Slawson	21.58

Andrew W. Fitzgerald	181.35	Ralph L. Smith	61.90
Helen F. Fitzgerald	25.63	Wallace Snow	19.58
Andrew J. Fitzgerald	2.00	Harry B. Spurr	210.42
Henry H. Flanders	97.04	Frederick C. Staple	174.80
Henry H. and Mary Gray Flanders	103.68	John F. Sullivan	63.20
John A. Flynn	20.43	Louise H. Sundberg	81.85
Ronald Forward	5.17	Garabed S. Sarajian	6.46
Timothy Gallivan	50.41	Frederick and Olga Tombarri	102.24
George Gallivan	2.00	Frederick Tombarri	12.66
Ralph Gambetti	36.13	Parker Uhlman	162.79
Nicholas Gatto	2.00	William Underwood	7.04
Pasquale Gazzola	2.00	John H. Van Hess	22.88
James Geoghegan	2.00	Evelyn VanHess	89.41
Antonio and Marrietta Gambetti	60.48	John J. Vegina	8.34
Byron Gillilani	2.00	Mary and Pearl Vegina	53.28
Antonio Gambetti	2.00	George Vickers	2.00
Ericole Genga	36.56	Edwin B. Vickers	34.24
Frank Ginger	2.00	Harriet Voter	41.89
Venanzia Golgatta	44.62	Nathan S. Wadsworth, Bal.	100.00
Asa E. Gray	18.56	Mary Wakeling	69.12
Chester C. Gray	31.09	Elwood W. Ward	2.00
Chester and Mary J. Gray	15.84	Mabel A. Ward	161.68
Michael Griffin	2.00	David Watkins	109.25
Reginald Hadley	14.10	John Watkins	10.35
Paul Hadley	2.00	John L. Watkins	2.00
Noel R. Hammond	72.85	Arthur G. Webster	2.00
Chas. P. Harding	4.88	Helen W. Webster	172.03
Rowena Harding	57.60	Bruce K. Wentworth	43.08
Hart Harris	43.59	John C. Welch	16.40
Nellie F. Harris	30.89	Chas. G. Wiles	38.29
Margaret B. Harri- man	118.08	Arlington Wilde	69.39
Stephen Hatch	2.00	Edward C. Wilcox	2.00
		Augustus E. Wright	250.39
		Samuel J. Wright	6.61

Claude Hawksworth	2.00	Mabel K. Wright	100.80
Edgar Hood	2.00	Thomas Sino	4.88
Irving S. Hosmer	2.00	Moth Tax Uncollect-	
John A. and Ger-		ed	1.06
trude M. Hunt	37.58	NON-RESIDENTS	
John A. Hunt	2.00	George Bartholdi	3.46
George N. Hull	2.00	B. & W. Street	
Franklin Kehlweather	13.52	Railway Co.	1,344.63
Garabed Khhedrian		William McLaughlin	
and Misag Asel-		Heirs	4.32
bakian	218.41	James W. O'Brien	41.76
Claude Knapp	12.37	Matthew Boland	23.04
Ernest M. Lanctot	2.00	Nicholas S. Ziko	28.80
Joseph Lanctot	9.92	Irving Johnson	34.56
Mattie F. Lane	49.52	Edward McDermott	2.39
Walter Lewis	2.00	John Dorr	31.68
John W. Luce	19.28	George H. Tim-	
William H. Mace	5.60	mings	69.12
Bernard McCabe	2.00	Lester R. Brown	32.65
Chas. A. McDonald	12.37	Charlotte F. Blake	186.98
Hugh J. McDonald	66.80	Heir of Mary Hayden	7.20
Richard J. McHale	156.50	Asa Kennison	2.02
Harry A. McMaster	6.64	B. & A. Railroad Co.	1.00

Respectfully submitted,

SETH H. HOWES,

Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Town of Southborough**

DR.

1924

Dec.	11.	Balance	\$23,624.61
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1925

Feb.	2.	Fay School, sale supplies	29.25
	4.	T. A. McDonald, refund	8.00
	6.	Sale old fence, Fayville School	10.00
	11.	Southboro Garage, permit	4.00
	20.	New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co., fires	24.50
Mch.	6.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Lottie H. Long	100.00
	9.	J. E. Welch, license	10.00
	10.	S. Cohen, license	5.00
Apr.	10.	Comm. of Mass., Vocational Educa- tion	104.84
	14.	Grafton Co., Loan, due Nov. 2, '25	10,000.00
		Jordan Marsh Co., refund	3.25
	15.	Comm. of Mass., Mothers with De- pendent Children	364.50
		Comm. of Mass., Corp Tax, 1924	.90
	28.	W. B. Breun, poison	5.25
		E. F. Collins, poison	3.00

May	2.	Fay School, sale supplies	9.80
	5.	C. E. Wells, poison	3.75
		North End Savings Bank, Loan, Steam Roller and Truck	6,000.00
	9.	People's Nat. Bank, Loan, due Dec. 1, '25	10,000.00
	18.	J. W. Richards, poison	1.50
	22.	St. Mark's School, Contribution	1,500.00
	23.	T. Parodi, poison	5.25
		North End Savings Bank, Loan, due Dec. 15, '25	10,000.00
June	1.	Comm. of Mass., Corp Tax, Business	85.46
	3.	J. McCloskey, poison	.75
	6.	J. W. Richards, poison	1.50
	13.	Dr. C. Lindstrom, poison	7.50
	19.	F. D. Newton, G. A. R. Memorial Day Refund	1.50
	20.	Comm. of Mass., High'ay, Pub. Works	16.00
July	3.	St. Mark's School, sale supplies	73.50
		Mary Reagan, refund	36.18
		Selectmen Order, checks returned	98.50
	15.	People's Nat. Bank, Loan due Dec. 30, '25	10,000.00
	18.	Comm. of Mass., Moth Dept.	47.60
	25.	Income Tax, 1922	27.50
		Income Tax, 1923	137.50
		Income Tax, 1924	220.00
Aug.	1.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Joseph M. Sellars	100.00

	6.	Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, Teaming	4.50
	8.	Fay School, Supplies	14.15
	26.	Town of Hopkinton, Tuition	372.00
		H. W. Young & Co., refund	1.25
		H. W. Young & Co., refund	6.20
		H. W. Young & Co., refund	2.85
	29.	Comm. of Mass., Tuition of Children	637.00
Sept.	4.	Deerfoot Farm Dairy, rent	50.00
		M. Byrne, poison	1.80
	19.	Cemetery Trust Funds, Elijah Crouch	100.00
		William R. Winchester	100.00
		N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., fire	1.90
	26.	Metropolitan Water Board, Taxes	2,861.14
Nov.	2.	Fay School Contribution	1,820.00
	10.	North End Savings Bank, Loan, Cordaville Road	15,000.00
	16.	E. Closson, refund	3.85
		J. Sealey, refund	2.50
	20.	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax, P. Service	2,875.55
		Corp. Tax, Business	1,243.71
		Income, 1925	6,857.53
		Bank, Sec. 1, Chap. 20	.85
		Bank, Sec. 1-a, Chap. 23	1,280.42
		State Aid	90.00
		Soldiers' Exemption	49.82
Dec.	15.	Comm. of Mass., Income Tax	1,056.00
		Corp. Tax, P. Service	1.28
		Corp. Tax, Business	167.47

26.	Comm. of Mass., Licenses	12.00
29.	J. Larningi, Sale Gravel	25.90
	J. A. DeMone, Permit	6.00
31.	Sale Material	12.00
	County of Worcester, Dog Fund	553.94
	Boston & Albany R. R. Co., fires	5.25
	W. B. Fay, Gift, Installing Street Sign	25.00
	R. M. Burnett, Gift, Installing Street Sign	25.00
	Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., Cem- etery Trust Fund	636.25
	Rural Cemetery Commissioners, Cash	125.00
	Cash Returned, Fire Acc.	9.45
	C. L. Fairbanks, Sealer W. and M. License, Junk Dealers	33.09
	Cemetery Committee, Care of Lots	10.00
	Town Hall Committee, Cash	654.86
	Fay Library, Fines	273.50
	People's Nat. Bank, Int. on Deposit	39.87
	Cemetery Committee, Cash	376.37
	Tree Warden, Private Work	836.50
	Fay Library, Sale of Books	81.11
	Comm. of Mass., Cordaville Road, Cash	3.65
	County of Worcester, Cordaville Road, Cash	4,949.93
	Fayville Hall Committee, Cash	4,949.93
	S. H. Howe, Coll. Taxes, 1923	159.50
	Taxes, 1924	758.81
	Taxes, 1925	8,587.48
		83,387.84
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		\$213,810.89

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Apr.	6.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 40	2.00
	14.	Grafton Co., Int. on Note, due Nov. 2, '25, at \$3,689	207.07
	18.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Notes 44, 45, 46	6.00
May	2.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 47	2.00
	9.	People's Nat. Bank, Int. on Note, due Dec. 15, '25, at $3\frac{3}{4}$	214.58
	18.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 48	2.00
	21.	North End Savings Bank, Int. due on Note, Dec. 15, '25, at $3\frac{3}{4}$	216.67
June	1.	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax	34.09
	30.	Boston Safe Dep't & Trust Co., 6 Mos. Interest	30.00
July	3.	T. A. Waddell, Director, Note 49	2.00
	14.	R. H. Howe, Postmaster, Stamped Envelopes	22.08
	15.	People's Nat. Bank, Int. on Loan, due Dec. 30, '25, at $3\frac{3}{4}$	175.00
Oct.	15.	North End Savings Banks, Int. on Loan, due Dec. 30, '25, at $3\frac{3}{4}$	106.67
	19.	A. R. Randall, Treas., County Tax	3,821.00
	29.	Grafton Co., Note due Nov. 2, '25	10,000.00
Nov.	9.	F. N. Waddell, Director, Notes 50, 51, 52, 53, 54	10.00
	20.	Comm. of Mass., Auditing Accts.	189.16
		State Highway	738.20
		Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth	22.07
		State Tax	5,760.00

Dec. 1.	People's Nat. Bank, Note due Dec. 1, '25	10,000.00
15.	North End Savings Bank, Note due Dec. 15, '25	10,000.00
	Comm. of Mass., Bank Tax, 1923	35.06
	Corp. Tax, 1924	.22
	Corp. Tax, 1925	1.11
19.	Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co., Cemetery Trust Fund Dept.	400.00
30.	People's Nat. Bank, Note due Dec. 30, 1925	10,000.00
	North End Savings Bank, Note due Dec. 30, 1925	3,750.00
	No. End Savings Bank, Int. on above	20.20
	Boston Safe Dep. & Tr. Co., Loan, due Dec. 30, '25	1,000.00
	Boston Safe Dep. & Tr. Co., 6 Mos. Int. on above	30.00
	Cemetery Committee, Care of Lots	654.86
	Selectmen's Orders	131,326.55
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		\$188,778.53
Balance		25,032.36
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		\$213,810.89

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Willson Charity Fund**

1925			
Jan.	1.	Balance	252.33
	6.	Unit Shoe Mach. Co., Div.	15.00
Apr.	4.	do.	15.00
July	3.	do.	15.00
Oct.	6.	do.	15.00
			60.00

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Feb.	5.	Jessie W. Metcalf, Treas.	50.00	
Nov.	2.	do.	50.00	100.00
Dec.	31.	Balance		212.33

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Fay Library**

1925			
Jan.	1.	Balance	11.85
		American Tel. & Tel. Co.	20.00
	21.	Marlboro Savings Banks	2.34
May	2.	Town of Gardner	10.00
July	1.	American Tel & Tel. Co.	20.00
	17.	Marlboro Savings Bank	2.34
Nov.	3.	Town of Gardner	10.00
			64.68
			76.53

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Mar. 11.	Chivers Book Binding Co.	15.33	
Nov. 27.	Library Book House	48.44	
Dec. 31.	Chivers' Book Binding Co.	5.99	69.76
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Dec. 31.	Balance		6.77

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Rural Cemetery Commissioners**

1925

Jan. 1.	Balance		1,217.76
31.	People's Nat. Bank	2.11	
Feb. 28.	do.	2.03	
Mar. 31.	do.	1.84	
Apr. 18.	Batista Berri, Lot 12, Range 13	30.00	
30.	People's Nat. Bank	2.03	
May 11.	Joseph J. Seymour, Lot 13, 13, Sec. 13, West Half	30.00	
11.	Warren W. Stivers, Lot 14, Sec. 11	5.00	
31.	People's Nat. Bank	1.97	
June 30.	do.	2.03	
July 31.	do.	1.97	
Aug. 31.	do.	2.03	
Sept. 3.	Lena I. and Gertrude I. Ev- erett, Lot 51, Range 12	30.00	
30.	People's Nat. Bank	2.03	

Oct.	2.	Mary E. Smith, Lot 49, Range 12	30.00	
	30.	People's Nat. Bank	2.06	
Nov.	21.	James H. L. Slocomb, Lot 55, Range 12	30.00	
	30.	People's Nat. Bank	2.20	
Dec.	8.	Lazarus Ramelli, Lot 16, Range 12	30.00	
	31.	John H. Coyne, Lot 17, Range 13, West Half	15.00	
		People's Nat. Bank	2.14	224.44
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				1,442.20

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May	20.	Eugene Closson	44.51	
Dec.	31.	Town of Southboro, Trans- fer	125.00	169.51
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Dec.	31.	Balance		1,272.69

THOMAS E. WALDRON, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

	Lot	Section	Deposited with Treas.	Interest Unexpended	Interest 1925	Total Interest	Care of Lot	Unex- pended
143 Trust Funds								
Angier, C. M.	28	11	100.00	8.25	5.00	13.25	4.00	9.25
Arnold, Jackson	27	2	50.00	.12	2.50	2.62	2.50	.12
Atwood, Edwin Fund	61	11	100.00	3.95	5.00	8.95	4.00	4.95
Baker Lot	13	10	100.00	15.25	5.00	20.25	5.00	15.25
Bacon, A. E.	4	3	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	4.00	2.25
Barney, Nancy E.	17	5	50.00	.12	2.50	2.62	2.50	.12
Barney, G. F., Mrs.	52	7	100.00	.20	5.00	5.20	4.00	1.20
Basseli, Paul, w. h.	8	13	50.00	.77	2.50	3.27	2.00	1.27
Bemis, M. E.	46	2	100.00	3.25	5.00	8.25	5.00	3.25
Bemis, Jacob	37	3	50.00	.12	2.50	2.62	2.50	.12
Belknap, Hiram	48	2	100.00	3.25	5.00	8.25	8.00	.25
Blair, M. Lizzie	5	7	100.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	4.00	6.00
Borelli, Margaret e. h.	10	12	50.00	1.62	2.50	4.12	2.50	1.62
Brigham, Lucretia L.	7	9	100.00	6.00	5.00	11.00	5.00	6.00
Brigham, Dana E.	6	5	75.00	.18	3.75	3.93	3.93	
Brigham, E. M.	17	2	100.00	6.25	5.00	11.25	5.00	6.25
Brewer, Walter L.	25	9	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	4.00	4.75
Brewer, Arthur F.	5	11	75.00	.18	3.75	3.93	3.93	
Brown Lot	29	9	100.00	5.25	5.00	10.25	5.00	5.25

Buck, Mrs. Chas. M.	42	6	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Buck, Wallace B.	3	7	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Buck, William H.	49	7	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Burdett, Fund	15	9	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Burnett, Charles	32	3	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Chamberlain, Ephraim	10	3	100.00	8.25	5.00	13.25	6.00	7.25
Chamberlain, John	6	3	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Chamberlain, Ellen Jane	7	1	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Choate, E. C.	50	11	100.00	8.75	5.00	13.75	5.00	8.75
Clifford, William D.	20	4	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Colleary, Wm. and John	17	12	100.00	2.00	5.00	7.00	5.00	2.00
Cook, Mrs. Hiram E.	33	9	100.00	5.75	5.00	10.75	5.00	5.75
Coldwell, William H.	30	10	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	5.00	2.25
Collins, William	18-4	4-10	150.00	7.87	7.50	15.37	10.00	5.37
Collins, Leander A.	3	9	75.00	.93	3.75	4.68	4.00	.68
Couch, Elijah, Fund	19	4	100.00					
Cowern Fund	11	3	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Davis, Benjamin	2	2	100.00	9.75	5.00	14.75	5.00	9.75
Davis, Mrs. Dennis, F'd	19	11	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50
Dillingham, Benja'in C.	22	4	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75
Este, F. F.	43	3	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75
Eames, Jno. G., Fund	50	7	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50

Fay, H. Marie, Mrs.	9	3	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	6.00	3.75
Fay, Manassah	9	2	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75
Fay, Josiah C.	1-44	2-3	125.00	3.56	6.25	9.81	8.00	1.81
Fay, Temple	33	7	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75
Fay, Francis A.	2	11	100.00	5.75	5.00	10.75	5.00	5.75
Fay, Mary M.	11	9	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Fay, Benjamin H.	1	3	100.00	3.00	5.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
Fay, George B.	1	5	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Fairbanks, Freeman	10	6	100.00	.75	5.00	5.75	5.00	.75
Fisher, Sarah, Miss	21	4	100.00	5.75	5.00	10.75	6.00	4.75
Fisher, George C.	43-43½	4	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	6.00	.25
Follensby, Lyman	54	11	75.00	.68	3.75	4.43	4.00	.43 ³³
Follensby, Francis and Edmund Bailly Fund	28	8	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Gilmore, Nelson	43	7	100.00	9.75	5.00	14.75	5.00	9.75
Gibson, John T.	1	6	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Gilbert, Ella Howe Balcome	31	7	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Glidden, Mrs. John	34	11	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Guild, E. A.	19	10	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Guild, E. A.	19	10	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75
Hammond, John W.	23	2	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75

Harrington, Levi	29	7	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75
Haynes, Frank E. and Sawtelle, Henry L.	24	2	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Hervey, W. H., and Moore, Artemas	19	1	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Holmes, Charlotte P. Fund	18	10	100.00					
Hodge, Roswell B., Heirs of	16	10	75.00	.93	3.75	4.68	4.00	.68
Howe, Ashbel	47	3	100.00	5.75	5.00	10.75	5.00	5.75
Howard, Isaac	36	9	75.00	.93	3.75	4.68	4.00	.68
Hyde, Harriet M.	3	10	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Hyde, Abraham, Heirs of	12	3	100.00	4.00	5.00	9.00	8.00	1.00
Jennison, Mary	47	7	100.00	5.25	5.00	10.25	5.00	5.25
Jennison, Joseph	40	3	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Jennison, William	43	6	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75
Johnson, Addison	25	2	100.00	5.25	5.00	10.25	6.00	4.25
Johnson, Lewis F., and Nathan L.	51-52	6	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	6.00	.25
Kaler, Aristed D.	30	7	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Kelley, John	3	13	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25

Knight and Green	16	6	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Lane, George E.	23	9	75.00	1.18	3.75	4.93	4.00	.93
Long, Samuel and Sarah	24	10	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
McCarthy, James	21	12	100.00	5.25	5.00	10.25	5.00	5.25
McQuarrie, A.	1	1	75.00	1.68	3.75	5.43	4.00	1.43
Mills, Emma F.	37	8	100.00	2.15	5.00	7.15	6.00	1.15
Mitchell, Michael	40	9	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Mitchell, D. W., Mrs.	38	11	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Mixer Lot	25	5	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Moore, Susan	19	9	50.00	.12	2.50	2.62	2.50	.12
Morse, Harriet E.	20	3	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Moulton, Fred, Heirs of	50	6	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Murray, Timothy	28	9	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Muchmore, William	14	2	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Neal, Harrison	11-1	1-10	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	6.00	.25
Newton, Adoniram J.	51	11	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75
Newton, Albro	29	10	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Newton, Charles H.	48	2	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Newton, Curtis	29	3	100.00	6.25	5.00	11.25	5.00	6.25
Newton, Harvey	28	1	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Newton, Lincoln,								

Heirs of	27	4	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Newton, Lucy	26	10	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Newton, Stephen and Dexter	21	3	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Newton, Sullivan B.	34	8	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75
Newton, Sylvester	25	3	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Nichols, Mary A., Mrs.	51	7	100.00	5.25	5.00	10.25	5.00	5.25
Nichols, Horace	17	9	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Nye, Daniel B., and Ed- mund B. Kaler	42	7	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
O'Leary, Otis J.	36	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Oliver, H. Kemble	E	B	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75
Onthank Charles H.	49.50	3	150.00	5.37	7.50	12.87	8.00	4.87
Onthank, Nahum B.	24	1	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	5.00	2.25
Onthank, W. H. and Houghton, Clara I.	21	11	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	5.00	2.25
Parker, Hiram, Mrs.	22	1	75.00	.18	3.75	3.93	3.50	.43
Parker, Charles S.	34	6	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	5.00	2.25
Parmenter, Warren, F'd	30	3	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75
Pearl, Lois D.	34	9	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Prentiss, Abner	1½-48	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Prentiss, B. F., Mrs.	1½-48	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62

Ring, Susie S.	37	4	100.00	1.95	5.00	6.95	5.00	1.95
Robinson, J. H., Est. of	A	A	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	6.00	.25
Rogers, Frederick, and Onthank Fund	51	3	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Safford, Wilbur Pray	44	8	100.00	.35	5.00	5.35	5.00	.35
Salmon, Patrick	8	12	100.00	.75	5.00	5.75	5.00	.75
Sawin, C. B.	25	6	75.00	.93	3.75	4.68	4.00	.68
Sellers, Joseph, Fund	20	10	100.00					
Shuttleworth, Peter, F'd	6	10	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Smith, Isaac, Heirs of	52	3	100.00	4.25	5.00	9.25	5.00	4.25
Smith, Addison, Heirs of	33	11	75.00	.93	3.75	4.68	4.00	.68
Smith, William W.	15	8	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Smith, Samuel A.	33	6	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Snow, Ella F.	22	8	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Sparrowk, John	35	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Taylor, Abbie A.	45	11	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	6.00	.25
Taylor, Charles E.	32	12	75.00	.93	3.75	4.68	4.00	.68
Waldron, E. J.	1	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Walker, Lorenzo, Fund	18	5	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Walker, Willard A., F'd	8	10	100.00		5.00	5.00	5.00	
Ward, Ephraim	23	3	100.00	7.25	5.00	12.25	5.00	7.25
Ward, and Boutilier	29	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62

Winchester, William									
A., Fund	23	4	100.00						
Williams, Ella E., and									
Sibley Lot	54	4	50.00	.12	2.50	2.62	2.50	.12	
Webster, Horace F.	2	6	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62	
Williams and Marshall									
Lot	16	5	100.00	5.75	5.00	10.75	5.00	5.75	
Whiting, Seth	8	3	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75	
Whiting, Edward	16	3	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62	
Whittemore, Marshall	15	5	100.00	14.75	5.00	19.75	5.00	14.75	
Woodward, F. B., and									
John LeBosquet	6-13	8	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	6.00	.25	∞
Wood, Charles A.	30-32	9	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	6.00	.25	
Wood, and Onthank	38	9	100.00		5.00	5.00	5.00		
Wyman, Hannah W.	52	2A	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	5.00	2.25	

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT FOR 1925

Number of volumes in the Library	15,640
Number of volumes added during the year	197
Number of volumes purchased	130
Number of volumes donated	67
Number of volumes delivered, total circulation	11,040
Number of volumes delivered in Southboro	9,140
Number of volumes delivered in Southville	255
Number of volumes delivered in Fayville	1,645
Largest number of books delivered in a Month,	
March, in Southboro	1,035
Largest number of books delivered in a day,	
August 29, in Southboro	105
Smallest number of books delivered in a month,	
June, in Southboro	521
Smallest number of books delivered in a day,	
January 20, in Southboro	4
Average attendance, a month, in Southboro	520
Average attendance, a day, in Southboro	21
Fines collected	\$39.87
Books delivered in Southboro, in the following classes:	
000 General Works	13
100 Philosophy	41
200 Religion	22
300 Sociology	31
500 Natural Science	37
600. Useful Arts	36
700 Fine Arts	36
800 Literature	294

900 History	132
910-919 Travel	115
920 Biography	189
Fiction	6,225
Current Periodical	617

Books delivered among Juveniles in Southborough:

200 Religion	6
300 Fairy tales, ,etc.	83
500 Natural Science	40
600 Useful Arts	12
700 Fine Arts	19
800 Literature	31
900 History 3, Travel 2	
920 Biography	4
Fiction	1,114
Current Periodicals	34

Books delivered in Southville:

Adult Fiction	179
Juvenile Fiction	76
Average attendance a month	15

The Library is in the South Union School, open Saturdays, from 6 to 8 P. M.

Books delivered in Fayville:

Adult Fiction	1,165
Juvenile Fiction	363
Current Periodicals	117

The Library is in Fayville Hall, open Tuesdays and Saturdays from 3 to 4 P. M.

Fay Library, also known as Southborough Public Library, is open every day, but holidays and Sundays, from 3 to 5, and Wednesday and Saturday evenings, from 7 to 9.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH V. STIVERS,

Librarian.

List of Adult Fiction Added During 1925

- Adventures in understanding. David Grayson.
 Alias Ben Alibi. I. S. Cobb.
 Amos Meakin's ghost. W. M. Stine.
 An affair of honour. Stephen McKenna.
 The ancient highway. J. O. Curwood.
 Arrowsmith. Sinclair Lewis.
 The barbarian lover. M. B. Pedler.
 Barren ground. E. A. G. Glasgow.
 Beau Geste. P. C. Wren.
 The black cargo. J. P. Marquand.
 The butler's story. A. C. Train.
 Buttered side down. Edna Ferber.
 Caravan. John Galsworthy.
 The Carolinian. Rafael Sabatini.
 Carson of Red River. Harold Bindloss.
 The casting away of Mrs. Lecks and Mrs. Aleshine.
 F. R. Stockton.
 The Charing Cross mystery. J. S. Fletcher.

- The Chinese cabinet. Arthur Applin.
 Clothes make the pirate. H. F. Day.
 The coming of Amos. W. J. Locke.
 Confident morning. A. S. Pier.
 The counsel assigned. M. R. S. Andrews.
 Cross trails. Harold Bindloss.
 Deep in the hearts of men. M. E. Waller.
 The definite object. Jeffery Farnol.
 Drag. W. D. Pelley.
 East of the setting sun. G. B. McCutcheon.
 The enchanted hill. P. B. Kyne.
 Exterior to the evidence. J. S. Fletcher.
 A fountain sealed. A. D. Sedgwick.
 The fourteen points. A. B. Reeve.
 The fourteenth key. Carolyn Wells.
 Franklin Winslow Kane. A. D. Sedgwick.
 Half told tales. Henry Van Dyke.
 Hard Wood. A. O. Friel.
 The house without a key. E. D. Biggers.
 In a Shantung garden. L. J. Miln.
 The inevitable millionaires. E. P. Oppenheim.
 The iron horse. E. C. Hill.
 John MacNab. John Buchan.
 Love. M. A. B. M. Arnim.
 The love of Monsieur. G. F. Gibbs.
 The maid of the mountain. Jackson Gregory.
 The missing initial. N. S. Lincoln.
 The mother's recompense. Mrs. E. N. Wharton.
 North of 36. Emerson Hough.
 Old Hurricane. J. A. Flisch.
 The old woman of the movies. Ibanez Blasco.
 One increasing purpose. A. S. M. Hutchinson.

- Orphan Island. Rose Macaulay.
 A passage to India, 2 copies. E. M. Forster.
 Passing the torch. M. R. S. Andrews.
 Pollyanna's jewels. H. L. Smith.
 The purple heights. M. C. Oemler.
 Queer Judson, 2 copies. J. C. Lincoln.
 Quo Vadis. H. Sienkiewicz.
 Reamer Lou. Louis Forgione.
 The Rector of Wyck. May Sinclair.
 The red house mystery. A. A. Milne.
 The red lamp. M. R. Rinehart.
 Roads of doubt. W. M. Raine.
 Samuel Drummond. T. A. Boyd.
 The sea-hawk. Rafael Sabatini.
 The secret way. J. S. Fletcher.
 The seven sleepers. Francis Beeding.
 The ship of souls. Emerson Hough.
 Skookum Chuck. S. E. White.
 Soundings. A. H. Gibbs.
 The story of a whim. G. L. H. Lutz.
 The talkers. R. W. Chambers.
 The thundering herd, 2copies. Zane Grey.
 Thus far. J. C. Snaith.
 Tongues of flame. P. C. Macfarlane.
 Troubled waters. W. M. Raine.
 The unknown seven. Harry Coverdale.
 Wanderings. Robert Herrick.
 The white monkey. John Galsworthy.
 Wolf. A. P. Terune.

Adult Non-Fiction Added During 1925**000 GENERAL WORKS**

Cumulative book index. M. Burnham ed.

100 PHILOSOPHY

Ethics and natural law. G. L. Raymond.

The world a department store. Bradford Peck.

200 RELIGION

The manhood of the Master. H. E. Fosdick.

The meaning of prayer. H. E. Fosdick.

The meaning of service. H. E. Fosdick.

Mythology of all races. C. J. A. MacCulloch.

The soul's sincere desire. Glenn Clark.

300 SOCIOLOGY

Acts and Resolves. Mass. General Court.

Annual for 1913. Co-operative Wholesale Societies.

The Constitution of the U. S. J. M. Beck.

The education of the modern boy. Dr. W. G. Thayer
and others.

The glass of fashion.

Journal of the House, 1925. Mass.

Journal of the House, 1724-1726. Mass. Historical So-
ciety.

Journal of the 59th encampment. Mass. G. A. R.

Journal of the Senate, 1925. Mass.

A manual for the use of the General Court. Mass.

Manual of parliamentary practice. L. S. Cushing.

Official report of 24th annual encampment. Mass
S. W. V.

Political ownership and the electrical light and power industry.

Present day etiquette. V. Van de Water.

The Senate and the League of Nations. H. C. Lodge.

Sixth annual convention 1924. Mass. Am. Legion.

Statistics of railways in U. S. 1923. U. S. Interstate Commission.

Vital records to year 1850. Nantucket, Mass.

Vital records to end of year 1849. Rockport, Mass.

Vital records to end of year, vol. 5 and 6. Salem, Mass.

The world almanac and book of facts 1925. R. H. Lyman.

400 PHILOLOGY

New International dictionary. Noah Webster.

500 NATURAL SCIENCE

Birds of Mass. and other New England states. E. H. Forbush.

Lives of busy neighbors. I. N. C. McFee.

The reptile book. R. L. Ditmars.

The shell book. J. E. Rogers.

600 USEFUL ARTS

Camp grub. Elon Jessup.

Handbook of physiology. W. D. Halliburton.

History of the Studebaker Corporation. A. R. Erskine

Portrait of a publisher. Grant Overton.

Stammering. B. N. Vogue.

700 FINE ARTS

America's greatest garden—Arnold Arboretum. E. H. Wilson.

- Auction methods up-to-date. M. C. Work.
 The essentials of aesthetics in music, poetry, etc. G. L. Raymond.
 A garden book for autumn and winter. C. D. Lay.
 A guide to Gothic architecture. T. F. Bumpus.

800 LITERATURE

- An art philosopher's cabinet. G. L. Raymond.
 The Aztec God and other dramas. G. L. Raymond.
 Books and characters. L. Strachey.
 Dante and collected verse. G. L. Raymond.
 The garden by the river. T. Tiplady.
 High tide. Mrs. W. Richards.
 A life in song. G. L. Raymond.
 Nonsense books. Edward Lear.
 Plays; Pleasant and unpleasant. G. B. Shaw.
 Poems for youth. W. R. Benet.
 A poet's cabinet. G. L. Raymond.
 Poetry as a representative art. G. L. Raymond.
 The silent sex. M. I. Fisk.
 Star-points. Mrs. W. Richards.

900 HISTORY

- The pomp of power.

910-919 TRAVEL

- Bird islands of Peru. R. C. Murphy.
 Galapagos. C. W. Beebe.
 Grass. M. C. Cooper.
 Jungle days. C. W. Beebe.
 The leisure of an Egyptian official. Lord E. Cecil.
 With Lawrence in Arabia. L. J. Thomas.

920 BIOGRAPHY

- Abraham Lincoln. Lord Chanwood.
 Ariel, the life of Shelley. Andre Maurois.
 James Phinney Baxter. P. P. Baxter.
 Danton. J. H. Belloc.
 An intimate portrait of R. L. S. Lloyd Osbourne.
 John Chipman Gray.
 The life and letters of John Muir. W. F. Bade.
 Life and letters of Walter H. Page. B. Hendrick, vol. 3.
 The life of Shivaji. N. S. Takakhav.
 My memories of 80 years. C. M. Depew.
 A souvenir of Mass. Legislators, 1923-24. A. M. Bridg-
 man.
 Twice thirty. Edward Bok.
 Uncensored recollections.

940-970 WAR BOOKS, HISTORY, ETC.

- Adventures in the near East. A. Rawlinson.
 Ambassador Morgenthau's story. H. Morgenthau.
 The diplomatic back ground of the war, 1870-1914. C.
 Setmour.
 History of Saint Mark's School. A. E. Benson.
 The medical department of the U. S. A. M. W. Ire-
 land, vol. 15.
 The romance of the last Crusade. Vivian Gilbert.

Juvenile Books Added During 1925

FICTION

- Adventures of a brownie. Mrs. D. M. M. Craik.
 The Aeneid for boys and girls. Rev. A. J. Church.
 Aesop's fables.
 Black Boulder claim. Perry Newberry.

- The children's blue bird. G. Maeterlinck.
 The dog, the brownie and the bramble-patch. Margaret Baker.
 The Flamingo feather. Kirk Munroe.
 A gentleman from France. Clarence Hawkes.
 Gypsy Breynton. E. S. P. Ward.
 The Iliad for boys and girls. Rev. A. J. Church.
 An island story. H. E. Marshall.
 Judy. Temple Bailey.
 Life and surprising adventures of Robinson Crusoe. Daniel Defoe.
 The magic fishbone. Charles Dickens.
 Merrylips. B. M. Dix.
 Mopsa the fairy. Jean Ingelow.
 Nelly's silver mine. Mrs. H. H. Jackson.
 The new wizard of Oz. L. F. Baum.
 The Odyssey for boys and girls. Rev. A. J. Church.
 Teddy and Carrots. J. O. Kaler.
 The wonder clock. Howard Pyle.

NON-FICTION

- English fairy tales. Joseph Jacobs.
 Heroes every child should know. H. W. Mabie, ed.
 Heroines every child should know. H. W. Mabie, ed.
 Natural wonders every child should know. E. T. Brewster.
 Poems of childhood. Eugene Field.
 Story book of science. J. H. C. Fabre.
 Water wonders every child should know. J. M. Thompson.
 Wild animals every child should know. J. E. Rogers.

List of Current Periodicals to be Found in the Library

America	Literary Digest
American Boy	Modern Priscilla
American Cookery	National Geographic
Atlantic Monthly	Popular Mechanics
Country Gentleman	St. Nicholas
Garden and Home Builder	Saturday Evening Post
Good Housekeeping	Scientific American
Harper's	Scribner's
House Beautiful	World's Work
John Martin	Youth's Companion
Ladies' Home Journal	

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
School Committee
OF
Southborough, Massachusetts
For the Year Ending December 31
1925



REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Your Committee has undergone certain changes in personnel, which were unexpected a year ago—Mr. Newton and Mr. Staples finding it necessary to resign, in June and December, respectively; Mr. Bunker and Mr. Kidder accepting appointments as the new members.

Since the school building is an essential part of the school organization, and since its cleanliness, its heating and ventilation, and its proper repair are all necessarily involved in the successful conduct of the school, first importance has been given to the carrying-out of the Special Repairs Program and to upkeep generally.

In the report of the School Committee for 1924 mention was made of the badly cracked and broken condition of the plastering on ceiling and walls of the Peters High School building. This condition was general throughout the classrooms and hallways of the building, but more pronounced on the second floor, where in some instances patches of plaster had fallen. This condition was aggravated by the fact that the gymnasium is on the third floor and during basket ball or other games the rooms below are subjected to considerable vibration.

The Committee put in a great deal of thought and study as to the most satisfactory manner in which to

repair the interior of this building and finally decided in favor of metal ceilings and metal side-walls down to a point corresponding to plate-rail height. In the classrooms veneer panels were used between the window stools, and from this point down was sheathed with matched No. Carolina pine. In the hallways and cloak rooms the sheathing extends up five feet six inches to meet the metal side walls.

By this treatment we feel that repairs of a more lasting nature have been made than would have been the case had new lath and plaster or sheet rock been used.

In painting this new wood varnish and oil paints have been used entirely, and since the wood work is finished natural, the upper side walls in light gray, and the ceilings white, the result is a better lighted and more cheerful group of rooms than has been the case for some time.

If environment counts for anything in school life, the effects of the improvements made at Peters High should be noticeable this year. From our personal observation we believe the work already has had a salutary effect.

Cement steps have been provided at the front entrance of the building.

At the South Union School no unusual repairs were needed, except the re-tinting of the ceilings and some of the sidewalls in two rooms and a corridor. The general repair work was efficiently taken care of by the caretaker.

At the Fayville School electric lights were installed and the basement given two coats of white paint.

The toilet facilities in all of the schools are in good state of repair, and the sanitary condition satisfactory.

Twenty-seven yards of gravel were hauled to the three schools for grading purposes.

At the 1926 Town Meeting it is hoped that sufficient funds, aside from the general school appropriation, will be made available to enable the Committee to repair the three remaining classrooms at Peters High School building and to replace with cement the badly decayed wooden steps at the East and West entrances. Funds will also be asked for painting the Fayville School building, inside and out. For the South Union School building an appropriation will be sought with which to have the outside of the building painted and the ceilings of two classrooms tinted.

The total appropriation for this proposed Special Repair work the Committee has estimated at \$3,325.00.

On the administrative side, problems connected with our elementary schools are being studied carefully, with an eye to raising standards. It is expected shortly to reach solutions which will meet with general favor. Where any proposed change affects a large group of children in the community parents will be consulted before action is taken by the Committee.

Peters High School is on the approved list of the State Department of Education, but (as the Principal's report shows), that does not mean that the school has

attained the highest academic rating possible. For some little time your Committee has been actively interested in this matter, and has asked for detailed information from the Superintendent and Principal. Improving conditions is a large task for the School Department and its satisfactory accomplishment will require, in addition to the work of the Superintendent and Principal, the united and interested cooperation of teachers, students, and parents.

The Committee reports in this connection that it will be unable to honor any request this Spring for a one-session plan for the High School.

From observation we are convinced that the following suggestions, if acted upon, would prove invaluable aids to a further upbuilding of the public schools of the Town:

An even greater amount of home work for the 7th, 8th and High School pupils;

A wider use by students of the Public Library facilities;

More frequent consultation by parents with Principal and teachers;

More school-visiting by citizens,—whether or not they have children in the schools.

Immediately following this report is a summary of the expenses of this Department for 1925.

Suggestions of a constructive nature on any phase of the work of this Department will always be welcomed by the Committee. These may be made in writing, or in person at a regular meeting of the Committee. Matters which technically belong to the Principal's office should be referred directly there.

Respectfully submitted,

M. IRENE SALMON,
LEO B. BUNKER,
DANA J. KIDDER,

School Committee.

CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR 1925

Revenue:

Appropriated, 1925 Town Meeting	\$47,537.07
One-half of Dog Tax	307.93
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	\$47,845.00

Expenditures:

I. General General Control:

Salary of superintendent	\$1,200.00	
Salaries of school committee	300.00	
Attendance officer	11.25	
School census	25.00	
Working certificates	25.00	
Misc., expenses, telephone, etc.	303.60	1,864.85
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II. For Instruction:

Salary of principal	3,000.00	
Salaries of teachers	18,972.69	
Pupil teachers' expense	38.02	
Tuition, trade schools	592.86	
Tuition, continuation school	74.80	
Text books and supplies	2,406.11	25,084.48
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III. For Operation:

Wages of janitors	3,090.14
Fuel	2,205.53

Light and power	174.41	
Supplies, express, incidentals	233.28	5,703.36

IV. For Maintenance:

Repairs, general and special	6,414.25	
Replacements	1,578.22	
Care of grounds	65.30	
Boiler inspection	6.00	8,063.77

V. For Auxiliary Agencies:

Promotion of health	830.93	
Transportation of pupils	4,183.00	5,013.93

VI. For Fixed Charges

Liability insurance, barges	414.00	414.00
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VII. For Capital Outlays:

New equipment	293.07	293.07
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VIII. For Miscellaneous Expenses:

Graduation	21.01	
Printing	45.64	
Incidentals, not elsewhere placed	20.77	87.42

Total of all payments for Education		\$46,524.88
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Unexpended balance		1,320.12
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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Southborough:

In compliance with the usual custom I herewith submit for your consideration my fourth annual report.

The entire teaching corps, including special teachers, consists of seventeen individuals. Of this number there were only four changes when the school year opened—three in the High and one at the South Union School.

Besides these regular teachers, we have student-teachers from the Framingham Normal School, who teach Sewing to the girls, at the South Union School.

As a whole, we have a fairly stable staff. This results from several factors, namely:

1. The Town itself.
2. Comparative nearness to Boston.
3. Satisfactory salary schedule.

Although changes will annually be made, the above-mentioned factors ensure the selection of experienced and well-qualified teachers. Practically all of our teachers are graduates of either College or Normal School, and several are pursuing courses during the summer months, or week-end courses during the school year.

EQUIPMENT

In addition to a satisfactory teaching staff, a pleasant environment has a salutary effect upon all pupils.

The School Board has given this matter careful consideration.

Several rooms have been put into first-class condition, through painting, new ceilings and walls, tinting, and new furniture.

Equipment, such as mimeograph, typewriters, electric stove, sewing tables, and reference books, have added much to the efficiency of the schools. With a program thus laid out it will not be long before all rooms will be a credit to the Town.

With adequate equipment and experienced, ambitious teachers, the citizens have a right to expect results commensurate with the expenditure. This the teachers are endeavoring to show.

TEACHERS' MEETINGS

A series of teachers' meetings, conducted by the Superintendent of Schools, is being held each week at the Marlborough High School building, this place being centrally located for the district. Not only teachers from Berlin, Southboro and Northboro are in attendance, but teachers from Hudson, Marlboro and Westboro are taking advantage of this course in "Mental and Educational Tests and Measurements."

The course, under the State Division of University Extension, offers a State credit to all teachers passing the final examination. Attendance is voluntary.

FIRST GRADE ENTRANCE REQUIREMENT

Our school regulation requires the chronological age of nearly six years for first-grade entrance.

We have children older than this who cannot pursue the work of the first grade successfully, and are obliged to repeat the work.

We have children slightly under our regulation who are debarred from entrance. It is possible that some of these could do the first-grade work with ease, provided they had a trial period.

It is the power to do the work coupled with application, which ought to decide the entrance.

Since this capacity can be ascertained by tests, it is recommended that beginning with the next school year children over five years of age who pass a psychological test may enter the first grade.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. HARRIS,
Superintendent of Schools.

SCHOOL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1925

Number of persons in town between the ages of 5 and 7 years: Boys, 32; Girls, 30; total 62.

Number of persons in town between the ages of 7 and 14 years: Boys, 94; Girls, 106; total 200.

Number of persons in town between the ages of 14 and 16 years: Boys, 38; Girls, 40; Total 78.

ATTENDANCE DATA, YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
1925

Total Enrollment	338
Average Membership	329
Average Daily Attendance	307

MEMBERSHIP OF GRADES, APRIL 1, 1925

Grade I.	41
Grade II.	41
Grade III.	41
Grade IV.	37
Grade V.	26
Grade VI.	28
Grade VII.	25
Grade VIII.	15
Grade IX.	24
Grade X.	19
Grade XI.	19
Grade XII.	16
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Total	332

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF PETERS' HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools,

Southborough, Massachusetts.

I hereby submit my report for year ending December thirty-first, nineteen twenty-five.

The enrollment for the High School is as follows:

Freshmen:	Boys	5
	Girls	8
Sophomores:	Boys	6
	Girls	10
Juniors:	Boys	9
	Girls	6
Seniors:	Boys	5
	Girls	14
Total		63

The enrollment for the grades is as follows:

	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	VII.	VIII.	Total
Boys	8	10	6	11	13	8	10	3	69
Girls	7	8	8	15	15	6	7	17	83
Total	15	18	14	26	28	14	17	20	152

A table of the courses offered in the High School and the number of students in each course follows:

Subject	Students	Subject	Students
English I.	13	Typewriting III.	10
English II.	19	Typewriting IV.	8
English III.	15	Stenography III.	8
English IV.	19	Stenography IV.	4
General Science	32	Home Economics I.	8
Physics	4	Home Economics II.	12
Ancient History I. & II.	17	Mechanical Drawing I.	5
Elementary Algebra	11	Mechanical Drawing II.	6
Plane Geometry	7	Manual Training I.	5
Review Mathematics	8	Manual Training II.	6
Latin I.	4	French II.	15
Caesar II.	4	French III.	11
Virgil III. and IV.	6	French IV.	9
Commercial Arith'etic	12	Ameri'n Hist. & Civics	12
Stenography II.	12	Bookkeeping III.	13
		Muscal, all students	63

The staff of teachers of the High School is as follows:

Principal, Albert S. Woodward, Mathematics and Science.

Margaret A. Barry, Commercial Subjects.

Madeleine Brown, French and English III. and IV.

Anne M. Underwood, Latin and English I. and II.

Anne M. Hussey, History and General Science.

Class of 1925. Two attending Framingham Normal School. Three pursuing a business course at Burdett Business College, Boston, Mass. One attending Framingham Business College. One attending New England School of Accounting, at Worcester, Mass. One attending Chandler School of Accounting, Boston. One taking a practical arts course at Boston University. One attending Huntington School, Boston, Mass.

During the summer vacation, extensive but needed

repairs were made upon the interior of the High School. Metal ceilings and walls with sheathing, five feet from floor, have given it the appearance of an up-to-date plant. There are still three rooms which need to be finished with steel walls and ceilings.

In the late spring of 1923, I made application for Peters' High to be placed upon the list of schools qualified to certificate to colleges belonging to New England College Board. In accordance with its custom, the New England College Board permitted our school to send a specimen student to Boston University. This student entered Boston University in September, 1923. At the end of the first semester, she withdrew from college.

In the spring of 1924, I had a letter stating that we might send another specimen student in September, 1924, but that the privilege would expire on January 1, 1925. I sent a young man to Massachusetts Agricultural College. In May, 1925, I received a letter from the Secretary of the New England College Board, stating that "Your School has not been placed upon the approved list, because of what is deemed its poor record." I am at present corresponding with the College Board, to find out what constitutes a poor record.

Supplies and chemicals will be needed for the course in Chemistry, which is given in 1926. Also, some apparatus will be needed for Biology.

At this time I again wish to earnestly urge the parents to follow more closely the work of their children

in school. When the report cards show poor work, the principal suggests that the parents consult the teachers at once concerning subjects which show poor marks. By such co-operation an improvement can be made which will be a great benefit to the pupil and to the school, as a whole.

In conclusion I wish to thank the School Board for their support and the Superintendent, for his helpful suggestions and advice.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT S. WOODWARD,

Principal.

TEACHERS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Albert S. Woodward	Prin. High Sch. Science & Math.	Southboro	*Tufts College
Madelene Brown	Asst. High Sch. French & English	New Haven, Conn.	*Mount Holyoke
Margaret A. Barry	Asst. High Sch. Com'l Subjects		*Maltby Business School
Anne M. Underwood	Asst. High Sch. Latin & English	Worcester.	*Emmanuel
Anna M. Hussey	Asst. High Sch. History & Gen. Sci.	Youngstown, Ohio.	*Ohio State University
Mary Finn	High Sch. Bldg. Grades V & VI	Southboro.	*Normal School Framingham
Gertrude L. Madden	High Sch. Bldg. Grades VII. & VIII.	Marlboro.	*Normal School Bridgewater
Frances L. Collins	High Sch. Bldg. Grades III. & IV.	Framingham.	*Normal School Framingham
Ceciline Lowe	High Sch. Bldg. Grades I. & II.	Essex.	*Normal School Salem
Margaret Neary	Fayville Primary Grades I.—III.	Southboro.	*Normal School Framingham

*Graduate of

Teachers in the Public Schools—Continued

NAME	POSITION	HOME ADDRESS	WHERE EDUCATED
Julia F. Gleason	Prin. So. Union Sch. Grades VII. & VIII.	5 Thoreau St. Concord.	*Normal School Framingham
Pearl Bigelow	So. Union School Grades IV.—VI.	Northboro.	*Normal School Framingham
Mary Reagan	So. Union School Grades I.—III.	Westboro.	*Normal School Framingham
Mrs. Alice E. Brigham	Supervisor of Music	Northboro.	*New England Con- servatory of Music
Martha Tower	Special Teacher Domestic Arts	Hudson.	*Normal School Framingham
Marguerite E. Peaslee	Drawing	Northboro.	
J. Augustus Prendiville	Manual Training	Worcester.	*Museum School Worcester, Mass.

*Graduate of

GRADUATION EXERCISES
of the Class of 1925
PETERS' HIGH SCHOOL

PROGRAMME

MARCH

SONG, "When de Banjo Plays" Ira B. Wilson

SALUTATORY Mary Grace Honen

CLASS HISTORY Ruth Marcella Johnson

SONG, "Sailing" Ira B. Wilson

CLASS PROPHECY Henry Joseph Baker

CLASS GIFTS Doris Elizabeth Bagley

CLASS WILL Russell Irving Boutilier

PRESENTATION OF SENIOR PRIZE

SONG, "On the Road to Mandalay"
 Arranged by Lucien G. Chafin

VALEDICTORY Genevieve Anne Bagley

ADDRESS Mr. MacGregor Jenkins,
 Publisher of the Atlantic Monthly

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

CLASS SONG Words by Lillian Inez Beals

MUSICAL DIRECTOR Mrs. Caroline Williams

ACCOMPANIST Miss Margaret A. Barry

HONOR GRADUATES

Genevieve A. Bagley Mary G. Honen

Ruth M. Johnson Lillian I. Beals

Mary L. Baveri

CLASS OF 1925

CLASSICAL COURSE

Genevieve A. Bagley

COMMERCIAL COURSE

Mary L. Baveri

Ruth M. Johnson

GENERAL COURSE

Doris E. Bagley

Marion A. Fay

Henry J. Baker

Francis G. Geoghegan

Lillian I. Beals

Mary G. Honen

Russell I. Boutilier

Edith McMaster

A. Bernard Esty

Beatrice L. Miller

James J. Falcioni

Michael J. Phillipi

Thomas L. Skinner, Jr.

CLASS COLORS, Blue and White

CLASS MOTTO, "He Conquers who Endures"

CLASS FLOWER, For-get-me-not

CLASS SONG

Tune: Battle Hymn of the Republic

Hail! Hail! to one and all we now have come to say
goodbye,

Though it grieves our hearts to say it,

And it causes us to sigh,

Still we keep marching on.

CHORUS:

We have studied very hard and always faithful tried
to be,

Now success has crowned our efforts,

And we claim the victory.

But now as we must separate dear classmates one and
all,

Let us go marching on.

CHORUS:

And now unto the Juniors we would give a word of
cheer,
Stand by dear old Peters' High School,
Even if defeat seems near.
Keep in mind our motto, "He conquers who Endures,"
Keep bravely marching on.

CHORUS:

Glory to old Peters' High School
Glory to old Peters' High School
Glory to old Peters' High School
We will keep marching on.

Words by Lillian I. Beals.

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Tabulation of Appropriations, Transfers and Expenditures—Departmental Accounts, 1925.

No.	Departments	Appropriations	Balances on hand	Transfers from other Accounts	From Re-Appropriation serve Fund from Treasury	Total Amount Available	Total Expended	Transfers to Other Accounts	Unexpended Balance	Balances Held for 1926	Overdraft
1	Advisory Committee	65.00			4.43	69.43	69.43				
2	Selectmen	550.00			23.63	573.63	573.63				
3	Accountant	350.00				350.00	346.33		3.67		
4	Treasurer	350.00				350.00	334.26		15.74		
5	Collector	700.00				700.00	675.74		24.26		
6	Assessors	725.00				725.00	713.64		11.36		
7	Certify Notes				24.00	24.00	24.00				
8	Law	650.00			15.70	665.70	665.70				
9	Town Clerk	325.00			17.20	342.20	342.20				
10	Election and Registration	200.00			70.75	270.75	270.75				
11	Town Hall Care	1,400.00				1,400.00	1,399.95		.05		
12	Town Hall, 1924					124.00	124.00				
13	Town Hall, Heating	2,500.00				2,500.00	848.52		1,651.48		
14	Town Hall, Salaries	75.00				75.00	75.00				
15	Police	2,000.00			41.50	2,041.50	2,041.50				
16	Fire Dept. Maint.	1,288.00		5.10		1,293.10	1,282.36		10.74		
17	Forest Fires	500.00		9.45	254.14	763.59	763.59				
18	Forest Fires, 1924					15.50	15.50				
19	Fire Equip., 1924		2,598.55			2,598.55	2,500.00		98.55		
20	Fire Equip., 1925	375.00				375.00	375.00				
21	Fire Dept., Salaries	1,500.00				1,500.00	1,500.00				
22	Sealer of W. and M.	200.00				200.00	188.19		11.81		
23	Tree Warden and Moth	3,525.00		9.05		3,534.05	3,481.00		133.24		
24	Tree Warden, 1924					97.00	97.00				
25	Health	1,150.00				1,150.00	359.00		791.00		
26	Inspection Animals	100.00				100.00	100.00				
27	Street Lights	5,450.00				5,450.00	5,188.10		261.90		
28	General Highways	9,500.00		2.50	592.15	12,059.65	10,435.05	1,624.60			
29	Street Oil	5,000.00		1,624.60		6,624.60	6,624.60				
30	Fence Repairs	300.00				300.00	300.00				
31	Sidewalks	500.00				500.00	500.00				
32	Special Highway Equip.	9,844.00				9,844.00	9,634.00		210.00		
33	Sign Boards	200.00		50.00	17.63	267.63	267.63				
34	Safety Signals	100.00				100.00	30.73		69.27		
35	Snow Removal	1,000.00				1,000.00	729.44		270.56		
36	Cordaville Road	10,000.00	10,000.00	9,925.76		29,925.76	19,812.38			10,113.38	
37	Poor Dept.	2,000.00			280.40	2,280.40	2,280.40				
38	State Aid	216.00				216.00	210.00		6.00		
39	Schools	39,387.07	307.93	43.93		39,738.93	38,222.52	185.82	1,330.59		
40	Manual Training	2,000.00		185.82		2,185.82	2,185.82				
41	Trade Schools	300.00			292.86	592.86	592.86				
42	High School Repairs	5,700.00				5,700.00	5,197.32		502.68		
43	Fayville School Repairs	75.00				75.00	75.00				
44	South Union School Repairs	75.00				75.00	75.00				
45	School Repairs, Selectmen				176.36	176.36	176.36				
46	Libraries	1,492.06	307.94			1,800.00	1,799.36		.64		
47	Reserve Fund	2,500.00				2,500.00	2,718.37				
48	Fayville Hall	450.00				450.00	426.62		23.38		
49	Town Shed Repairs	100.00			392.87	492.87	492.87				
50	County Aid, Agric.	100.00				100.00	100.00				
51	Purchase Gravel Pit	400.00				400.00	400.00				
52	Tree Planting, Highways	200.00				200.00	198.90		1.10		
53	Complete State Census				109.00	109.00	109.00				
54	Liability Insurance	425.00				425.00	362.69		62.31		
55	Play Grounds	50.00				50.00	40.00		10.00		
56	Common and T. H. Grds.	250.00			159.20	409.20	409.20				
57	Memorial Day	100.00		100.00		200.00	198.50		1.50		
58	G. A. R. Relief	50.00				50.00			50.00		
59	Printing Town Reports	350.00			6.42	356.42	356.42				
60	General Town Ins.	3,200.00				3,200.00	2,654.80		545.20		
61	Cemeteries	2,200.00		125.00		2,325.00	2,324.96		.04		
62	Interest, Notes, Bonds	60.00			126.87	186.87	186.87				
63	Interest, Temp. Loans	700.00			113.26	813.26	813.26				
64	Retirement of Debt	4,750.00				4,750.00	4,750.00				
		\$197,552.13	13,214.42	12,081.51	2,718.37	2,901.50	157,767.63	139,965.13	1,810.42	6,097.07	10,113.38

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

WORCESTER COUNTY, SS. FEBRUARY 12, 1927.
To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the FIRST PRECINCT of the said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House, in said Southborough, on

MONDAY, MARCH 7, 1927

and to notify the inhabitants of the SECOND PRECINCT of the said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the South Union School, on

MONDAY, MARCH 7, 1927

and to bring in their votes to the Election Officers of the respective precincts for: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Selectman, (for three years); Assessor, (for three years); Overseer of the Poor, (for three years); one Member of the School Committee, (for three years); one Member of the Board of Health, (for three years); Tree Warden, Three Members of Town House Committee, Two Trustees of Fay Library, (for three years); and two Members of the Advisory Committee, (for three years).

The Polls, in each precinct, will be opened at 6:30 o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

And to notify the inhabitants of said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to assemble in a subsequent meeting in the Town House, in said Southborough, on

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 14, 1927

at 7:30 o'clock, to consider and act upon the following articles of the

TOWN WARRANT

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To hear Reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Art. 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town's use and to pass any vote in respect to the same.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the majority of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 5. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money obtained from the licensing of dogs.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars to be expended by Post 161 (Leo L. Bagley Post) of the American Legion for Memorial Day and decorating soldiers' graves.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 5, of the General Laws, or do or act thereon.

Art. 8. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase, planting and care of trees of the Town Forest, or do or act thereon.

Art. 9. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the planting of trees along the Town highways or do or act thereon.

Art. 10. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the incorporation of the Town, or do or act thereon.

Art. 11. To see whether the Town will authorize the printing of 350 copies of the records of men and women of Southborough, who served with the military or naval forces in the Great War and raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Fifty Dollars to pay for such printing, or do or act thereon.

Art. 12. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Nineteen Dollars and Twenty-Seven Cents (\$319.27) for the Worcester County Hospital District for Tuberculosis, or do or act thereon.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to erect permanent signboards on the highways or do or act thereon.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to buy road machinery and apparatus and to raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act thereon.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the suitable housing of Town fire apparatus, Town machinery and property, or do or act thereon.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$100. for playgrounds, or do or act thereon.

Art. 17. To see whether the Town will raise and appropriate money for the construction of permanent highways, under Chapter 90 of the General Laws, or do or act thereon.

Art. 18. To see whether the Town will vote to accept contributions from St. Mark's School and from the Fay School, in lieu of regular taxes, from which the schools are exempt, and what disposition the Town will make of said money, or do or act thereon.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will take any action in regard to the swimming pool in Fayville, or in regard to the supervision of St. Mark's swimming pool in Southborough, if the Town should again be permitted to use the same, or do or act thereon.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the majority of the Selectmen, to borrow money for any of the appropriations named in this Warrant.

Art. 21. To see whether the Town will vote to authorize the installation of an electric light on Larned Street, near the house of John Philips, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act thereon.

Art. 22. To see whether the Town will vote to authorize the installation of electric lights upon Newton Street, between Cross Street and the Deerfoot Dairy, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act thereon.

Art. 23. To see whether the Town will vote to authorize the installation of electric light or electric lights, on High Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor or do or act thereon.

Art. 24. To see if the Town will authorize the Cemetery Commissioners to expend the sum of \$200. from

the cemetery reserve fund for permanent improvement or do or act thereon.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will pass any vote to establish the salaries to be paid Town Officers or pass any vote in respect to same.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Thirty (130) Dollars to repair and paint the Town flag pole.

Art. 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$176.98 to pay a bill recently rendered by George Miller, Contractor of Marlboro, for repair work done on the Peters High School in 1924-25.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will grant the free use of the Town Hall to the Peters High School Alumni Association.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to have electric lights installed on Richards Road and appropriate money therefor, or do or act thereon.

Article 30. To see whether the Town will vote to authorize the installation of 2 more electric lights on Marlboro Road and raise and appropriate money therefor, or do or act thereon.

And you are to give notice hereof, by posting up true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, South Union School, Depots, Post Offices and three other Public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meetings.

HEREOF fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the respective precinct wardens, on or before or at the time and place of said meetings aforesaid and to the Town Clerk, as soon as may be before said subsequent meeting.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS this twelfth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

FRANCIS D. NEWTON.

CHARLES F. CHOATE, 3rd,

GEORGE F. FIELD,

Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy. Attest
Constable.

FIFTY-THIRD

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Town Officers

OF

Southborough, Massachusetts

For the Year Ending December 31

1926



SOUTHBOROUGH PRINT SHOP
SOUTHBOROUGH MASSACHUSETTS

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

For 1926

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:—

The annual report of the financial operations of the town is submitted for the year ending December 31, 1926.

The annual inspection and checking has been made of the books and accounts of the Treasurer, Tax Collector, Cemetery Commissioners and other financial officers which may be reported as being correct and in order.

Our general cash balance for the year ending, is \$20,815.93. Included in this amount, of course, are the following set off accounts, which should be deducted to ascertain the net free cash on hand at the close of the year, 1926 Dog licenses, \$723.90 balance on account of Marlboro Road, \$565.28, balance of Cordaville Road unexpended at end of year, \$4,123.99, overlay fund and balances, \$2,544.66 and interest from Cemetery Trust funds, unexpended, \$308.71, the total of these amounts being \$8,266.54 leaving about \$12,600.00 free cash in the treasury.

During the year just ended, the treasurer has deposited, \$1,042.46 as instructed by vote at annual Town meeting, the amount which was received from the Commonwealth in 1925 from Soldiers' War Bonus Fund, in a special savings account to be known as the War Memorial Fund.

There are few if any outstanding accounts unpaid with the exception of amounts that may yet be due on account of the completion of Cordaville Road and Marlboro Road Special Chapter 90 construction, for which no charges have as yet been received.

All departments and financial officers should be commended for the improvement shown in the checking, approving and passing through all their bills payable promptly during the past year. This is especially true of the schools and the highway departments having so many invoices and pay-rolls to handle.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. BAGLEY,

Town Accountant

RECEIPTS, 1926

TAXES

Taxes of 1926:			
Poll	\$1,046.00		
Personal	21,355.41		
Real Estate	62,373.97	\$84,775.38	

Taxes of 1925:			
Poll	176.00		
Personal	811.65		
Real Estate	5,692.51	6,680.16	

Taxes of 1924:			
Poll	46.00		
Personal	279.69		
Real Estate	1,837.93	2,163.62	

Taxes previous years:			
1923	26.30		
1922	5.00	31.30	\$93,650.46

GENERAL REVENUE

From Commonwealth:	
Metro. W. & S. Board	2,980.35

Bank Tax	1,390.64	
Corporation Tax P. S.	1,155.51	
Corporation Tax, Bus.	1,461.24	
Inc. Tax School fund	2,629.60	
Income Tax 1926	4,637.14	
Inc. Tax Spec. Dist.	2,646.85	
Inc. Tax Prev. Yrs.	427.00	
Trust Co. Tax	2,009.96	
Corp. Tax Prev. Yrs.	124.37	19,462.66

LICENSES

From Sundry persons:

Auctioneers	2.00	
Hawkers	36.00	
Auto Bus.	250.00	
Garage and gas.	12.00	300.00

FINES

Court	40.00
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GRANTS AND GIFTS

From Comm. of Mass.

Union School Supt.	753.05
Vocational Education	441.56

From County of Worc.

Dog Licenses	723.90
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From other sources:

Fay School	1,820.00	
St. Mark's School	1,500.00	5,238.51

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

1926 Moth Assessm't	84.26	
1925 Moth Assessm't	5.85	
1924 Moth Assessm't	6.09	96.20

1926 Priv. Spraying	310.34	
1925 Priv. Spraying	23.84	
1924 Priv. Spraying	8.00	342.18

Total receipts from General Revenue 25,479.55

COMMERCIAL REVENUE

General Government:

Selectmen, phone	10.20	
Town Hall, rent	284.50	294.70

Protection of Property:

Fire Dept., sale of stove	10.00
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Forestry Dept.:

Sale of material	77.78	
Spraying	20.66	
Moth Reimb. C. of M.	35.54	
Forest Fire, Reimb.	57.15	191.13

Highways:

Comm. of Mass. for		
Cordaville Road	9,627.14	
Marlboro Road	8,735.65	
Gen. Rep., Chap. 81	4,341.49	22,704.28

County of Worc., for		
Cordaville Road	9,627.14	
Marlboro Road	8,735.64	18,362.83

Supt. of Streets, for		
Rent of steam roller	80.00	
Rent of Truck	15.00	
Oiling Driveways	30.65	
Material sold and all other	22.07	147.72

Charities:

Comm. of Mass. for Mothers' Aid, reimb.		277.33
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Soldiers' Benefits:

Comm. of Mass., for State Aid, 1925 reimb.	210.00	
Soldiers' Exemptions	54.49	264.49

Education:

Comm. of Mass., for Tuition State wards	886.50	
Town of Hopkinton, for Tuition of children	262.50	
School Dept., for Sale of material	96.50	1,245.50

Libraries:

From Libraries and trustees		
Fines—sale material		37.14

Unclassified:

From Fayville Hall Committee, for		
Rent	113.50	
Sealer of W. & Meas. for		
Fees, collected	26.78	140.22

Cemeteries:

Cemetery Commissioners, for		
Care of lots and graves	442.00	
Foundations	32.00	
Burials	356.00	
Sale of lots	360.00	1,190.00

From Trust Fund Lots Interest		
Charges for care of lots		707.50

Interest:

1926 Taxes	104.45	
1925 Taxes	236.00	
1924 Taxes	173.68	514.13

General Balances		357.42
Perpetual Care Deposits, inv.		672.35
Notes and Bonds, accruals		9.35
Trust and Investment funds:		
Fay Fund	64.68	

Willson Fund	60.00	
Rural Cemetery	11.40	136.08
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Total for Commercial Revenue receipts 47,262.17

Total of Revenue account receipts, forwarded \$166,392.18

NON REVENUE RECEIPTS FOR 1926

Municipal Indebtedness, for	
Temporary Loans	\$40,000.00

General Loans,	
Marlboro Road Loan	6,600.00

Agency,

State and County Taxes are included,
in totals of General Tax receipts.

Trust,

Cemetery Perpetual Care,	
Deposits received for investment	700.00

Refunds,

Departmental,	
Schools, over payment	85.90
Highways, reimb.	13.51
Sold's' Relief, not used	10.00
Memorial Day, bal. ret.	10.85
	120.26

Transfers,

From Reserve Fund to	
Selectmen's account	29.68

Treasurer's account	60.72	
Assessors' account	6.52	
Police Department	107.23	
Forest Fires	157.57	
Highways Dept.	494.91	
Snow Removal	125.52	
Military Aid	129.62	
Trade Schools	178.58	
Tree Planting, highways	3.50	
Care and rep. Swim. P'l	27.25	
Town Reports	21.50	
Cemeteries	12.19	1,354.79

Town Hall Lights, to		
Town Hall account	100.00	
Fire Dept. Equip., to		
Fire Dept.	9.20	
Street Oiling, to		
Highway repairs	92.71	
Fence Repairs, to		
Highway repairs	111.78	
School Repairs, to		
Gen. School Acct.	4,650.00	4,963.69

Total of Non Revenue account receipts \$53,738.74

BALANCES

Cash on hand, January 1, 1926:

General Cash, balance	25,032.36
Fay Library Cash, bal.	6.77

Willson Fund, cash	212.33	
Rural Cemetery Reserve, bal.	1,272.69	\$26,524.15
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Total of Non Revenue accounts receipts and balances	\$80,262.89
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Total of Revenue accounts receipts, brought forward	166,392.18
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Total of All receipts and balances for 1926	\$246,655.07
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PAYMENTS FOR 1926

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Advisory Committee:

Printing reports	\$41.75	
Clerical Hire	4.75	
Postage	10.25	56.75

Selectmen's Dept.:

Salaries

Selectmen	450.00
Clerk	50.00

Other Expense

Stationery, postage	13.50	
Printing, advertising	14.75	
Auto hire	24.00	
Telephone	16.63	
Perambulating lines	10.00	
Filing petitions	3.00	
Photographs	4.00	
Other expense	4.00	589.88

Accounting Dept.:

Salaries

Accountant	300.00
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Other Expense

Stationery, postage	7.21	
Printing and supplies	22.11	329.32
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Treasurer's Dept.:

Salaries

Treasurer	400.00	
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Other Expense

Bond	50.00	
Stationery, postage	100.72	
Auto hire	10.00	560.72
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Collector's Dept.:

Salaries

Collector	500.00	
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Other Expense

Stationery, postage	31.49	
Printing, supplies	43.29	
Bond	100.00	674.78
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Assessors' Dept.:

Salaries

Assessors	577.50	
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Other Expense

Stationery, postage	10.90	
Printing, advertising	115.75	
Abstracts	26.62	
All other	.75	731.52
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Other Finance Accts.:		
Certification of notes		12.00
Law Department:		
Expense		
Settlement of claims		25.00
Town Clerk's Dept.:		
Salaries		
Town Clerk	350.00	
Recording	62.00	
Death returns	4.00	
Administering oaths	4.75	
Other Expense		
Stationery, postage	7.00	
Printing and supplies	8.45	
Bonding	2.50	438.70

Elections and Registration:		
Salaries		
Registrars	80.00	
Election officers	255.00	
Posting warrants	34.00	
Other Expense		
Printing and postage	189.10	
Meals for officers	49.20	
Transportation	3.00	610.30

Town Hall:		
Salaries		
Committee	75.00	
Janitor	638.00	

Other Expense

Fuel	379.24	
Light	133.80	
Janitor's supplies	4.00	
Rubber Matting	121.00	
Piano rental	155.00	
Signs	6.50	
Stationery	1.85	
General repairs	64.71	
Special repairs	95.00	1,674.10

Total of payments for General Governm't \$5,703.07

PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Police Dept.:

Salaries

Regular officer	1,800.00
Special officers	35.00
Court expense	133.73
Dog Officer	18.50

Other Expense

Auto hire	10.00	1,997.23
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Fire Dept.:

Salaries

Chief	200.00
Janitors	300.00
Captains	115.90

Firemen	884.10	
Other Services	21.00	1,521.00
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Other Expense		
Meals		17.08
Equipment and Repairs		
Apparatus	65.95	
Equipment for men	172.50	
12 pump tanks	168.00	
Portalite	42.00	
Baskets	60.00	
Other equipment	197.69	706.14
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Repairs to Equipment		
Parts	220.64	
Labor	236.60	457.24
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Fuel and Lights		
Fuel	101.93	
Lights	15.30	117.23
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Buildings and Grounds		
Repairs	23.35	
Janitor's supplies	14.72	
Other supplies	47.43	
Motor Oil	94.00	
Chemicals	48.68	
Gas and oil	45.13	

Leases and rentals	6.00	
Express and freight	6.61	285.92

New Equipment

Badges	6.00	
Hose and couplings	450.00	
Repairs fire app'tus	152.40	
Search lights	46.00	
All other expense	36.40	690.80

Total of expenditure for Fire Dept. \$3,795.41

Moth Dept.:

Salaries

Superintendent	347.50
Labor	498.00

Other Expense

Team hire	152.00
Supplies and equip.	67.05
Gasoline and oil	11.62
Parts, tools, etc.	31.21
Insecticides	12.65
Freight and expense	8.72
All other expense	2.30

Total expense for Moth Dept. 1,131.05

Tree Warden Dept.:

Salaries

Tree Warden	25.00
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Superintendent	559.38	
Labor	875.92	
Other Expense		
Printing, Stationery	.55	
Insecticides	355.79	
Pruner	6.00	
Hardware and tools	25.17	
Supplies	17.83	
Wiring town sheds	12.50	

Total exp. for Tree Ward. Dept. 1,878.14

Planting of trees along Highways:

Labor	70.50	
Auto hire	25.00	
Meals	8.00	103.50

Forest Fires:

Salaries		
Firemen	508.48	
Other Expense		
Auto hire	1.00	
Repairs to equip.	154.08	
Lunches	36.66	
Gasolene	4.30	
Supplies	3.05	707.57

Sealer of Weights and Meas.:

Salaries	
Sealer	75.00

Other Expense

Travel	25.00	
Rent	75.00	
Supplies	5.21	
Postage, Stationery	8.00	188.21

Total of expenditure for Prot. of Property 9,801.11

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health:

Salaries

Board of Health	75.00
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Other Expense

Agent for 1925, 1926	20.00
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Expense for patients

State Infirmary	365.00	
Worc. C'ty. Hospital	16.00	476.00

Sanitation:

Inspection of Animals,

Inspector	100.00
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Total for Health and Sanitation 576.00

HIGHWAYS

Snow Removal:

Salaries and Wages

Superintendent	231.00
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Labor	1,290.83	
Other Expense		
Team and auto hire	77.50	
Other snow plough'g	825.25	
Equipment	54.61	
Repairs	33.58	
Gas, oil, grease, alc'l	109.13	
All other expense	3.62	2,625.52
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Street Oiling:		
Salaries and Wages		
Superintendent	174.62	
Labor	1,401.04	
Other Expense		
Teams	196.00	
Auto hire	92.00	
Sand	72.25	
Supt. auto	28.00	
Cold patch	220.48	
Tarvia A., 3700 gal.	518.00	
Oth. oil, 49,724 gal.	4,204.90	6,907.29
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Street Lights:		
Lighting		5,341.58
Unpaid 1925 Highway Accts.:		
Gravel		51.50
General Repairs:		
Salaries and Wages		
Superintendent	850.48	
Labor	6,773.48	

Engineer	472.50
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Other Expense

Team hire	1,771.00
Auto trucks	452.00
Supt. auto	136.00
Supt. expense	27.52

Equipment and Supplies

Stone and gravel	712.48
Hay, grain, straw	2.49
Gas and oil	489.36
Equipment repairs	164.68
New tar kettle	165.00
Ice caulks	85.00
Cold patch oil	121.88
Road oil, 1160 gals.	95.70
Oth. S. oil, 7622 gals.	628.82
Forks, shovels, picks	48.92
Other equipment	79.10
Culverts, metal	148.51
Lumber	153.19
Spec. bridge lumber	213.56
Cement and tile	100.68
Wire, nails, etc.	13.03
Repairs to Town sheds	39.50
Tractor repairs	422.90
Truck repairs	316.59
Street signal gas	26.15
Warning signs	27.75
Other signs	10.50
Misc. tools	63.70

Other equip. repairs	103.10	
Steam roller repairs	58.87	
Coal for roller	154.15	
Supplies for roller	22.30	14,950.89
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Fence Repairs:

Salaries and Wages

Superintendent	22.00	
Labor	149.07	

Other Expense

Supt. auto	3.00	
Teams	8.00	
Supplies	109.66	291.73
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Cordaville Road:

Chapter 90 Construction

Advertising	42.10	
Contract pay'nts	25,015.34	
Other labor expense	186.28	25,243.72
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Marlboro Road:

Chapter 90 Construction

Advertising	55.93	
Contract pay'nts	26,786.68	
Other labor expense	63.40	26,906.01
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Total of expenditure for highways 82,318.24

CHARITIES

Poor Dept. :		
Salaries		
Overseers	200.00	
Other Expense		
Board and care	320.00	
Medical expense	273.40	
Institutions	281.32	
Mothers' Aid pay'ts	722.00	
State Infirmary	146.09	
Relief Outside		
Other Cities	42.75	
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Total for Charities		1,985.56

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

State Aid		
Cash paid	150.00	
Military Aid		
Cash paid	30.00	
Other Soldiers' Aid		
Cash paid	99.62	
G. A. R. Relief	50.00	
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Total for Soldiers' Benefits		329.62

EDUCATION

General School Dept.:	
Salaries	
School Committee	300.00

Superintendent	1,168.34	
Attendance officer	21.85	1,490.19
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Expense		
School Committee	8.90	
Superintendent	116.18	125.08
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General Expense		
Printing and Sta.	73.62	
Telephone	68.00	
School Census	50.00	
Work certificates	25.00	
Diplomas	55.40	
Graduation expense	15.00	
Printing	21.50	
Freight and Exp. chgs.	3.27	311.79
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Teachers' salaries		
High School	8,962.50	
Elementary	11,313.61	
Domestic Science	750.00	
Drawing	340.00	
Music	295.00	
Pupil teachers	70.81	21,731.92
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Books		
High School	227.31	
Elementary	497.24	724.55
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Supplies

High School	298.83	
Elementary	396.92	
Domestic Science	70.12	765.87
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Tuition

Continuation School		23.76
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Transportation

Auto Bus	3,185.00	
Electric railroad	1,260.00	4,445.00
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Janitors

High School	1,769.00	
Elementary	1,520.00	3,289.00
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Fuel and Lights

Fuel	3,136.81	
Lighting	98.15	3,234.96
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Buildings and Grounds

Repairs		
High School	3,686.24	
Elementary	638.53	4,324.77
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Janitors' Supplies

High School	169.69	
Elementary	81.66	251.35
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Other Expense

High School	109.35	
Elementary	253.55	362.90

Furniture and Furnishings

New equipment	534.09	
Replacements	811.45	1,345.54

Insurance

Premiums paid

Barge liability	658.94	
Boiler inspection	15.00	673.94

Health

Inspection

Medical	100.00	
Dental	50.00	
School Nurse	815.00	

Supplies

School Nurse	8.45	973.45
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Total expenditure for General School account

\$44,074.07

Manual Training

Salaries

Teacher	1,730.00	
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Other Expense

Supplies	123.02	
Light and power	70.29	

Total expenditure for Manual Training	1,923.31	
Trade Schools		
Tutions paid for		
Boys	435.74	
Girls	92.84	
Total expend. for Trade Schools	528.58	
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Total of all expenditure for education		46,525.96

LIBRARIES

Salaries and Wages		
Librarian	491.00	
Assistants	114.00	
Janitors	341.00	946.00
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Books and Periodical		
Books	241.79	
Periodicals	114.70	356.49
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Transportation		
Books		37.80
Bindings		
Books		41.30
Fuel and Lights		
Fuel	379.53	
Light	33.00	412.53
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Buildings and Grounds

Repairs	34.23	
Screens	2.50	
Hedge trimming	2.00	
Janitor's supplies	26.55	
Removal of ashes	12.50	77.78
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Other Expense

Cards and stationery	18.34	
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Total of expenditure for Libraries	1,890.24
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UNCLASSIFIED

Fayville Hall

Salaries

Janitor	147.00
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Other Expense

Janitor's supplies	2.95
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Fuel and Light

Fuel	177.05
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Light	39.70
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Buildings and Grounds

Repairs	29.04
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Special painting	100.50	496.24
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Memorial Day

Quartermaster, G. A. R.

Cash	125.00
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Documents

Town Reports (700)	345.00	
Postage and expense	26.50	371.50

Play Grounds

Rent for 1925		50.00
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Liability Insurance

Town Employees		
Premium paid		335.10

Worcester County Hospital Dist.

For Tuberculosis		
Assessment		266.26

Agriculture

County aid		100.00
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General Town Insurance

Premium paid		726.80
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Foundation for German War Gun

Labor	6.50	
Lumber	2.20	8.70

Common and T. H. Grounds

Caretaker	248.74	
Equipment and repairs	2.75	
Supplies	1.20	
Gravel	14.00	
Fence repairs	12.92	
Shed light	.39	280.00

Swimming Pool

Cleaning and repairs

Superintendent	11.00	
Labor	55.00	
Teams	56.00	
Gravel	21.50	
Fire Dept. pumping	50.25	
Printing signs	6.50	
Auto hire	2.00	
St. Mark's, polic'g	150.00	352.25

Total of expenditure for Unclassified
payments

3,111.85

CEMETERIES

Salaries and Wages

Commissioners	50.00	
Superintendent	250.00	
Labor	1,699.79	1,999.79

Other Expense

Supt. expense	15.00	
Loam	34.00	
New Equipment	195.40	
Fertilizer	138.75	
Survey of land	15.00	
Cement	4.50	
Grass seed	4.35	
All other expense	5.40	412.40

Trust Fund Income

Charges made for care lots	707.50
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Total of all expenditure for Cemetery Department	3,119.69
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INTEREST

Interest Payments, for

Temporary Loans	684.62	
General Loans	626.65	1,311.27

Trust Fund Interest Income

Payments made from

Fay Fund Inc.	53.84	
Willson Fund Inc.	50.00	
Rural Cem. Res. In. 1,000.00	1,103.84	

Total of interest payments	2,415.11
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Total of all Revenue accounts payments (forwarded)	\$157,776.45
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PAYMENTS NON REVENUE ACCOUNTS

DEBT

Loans Paid in 1926			
Temporary Loans	40,000.00		
Highway Equipment Loan	2,000.00		
Cordaville Road Loans	6,250.00	48,250.00	

AGENCY AND TRUST

Agency			
State Tax	5,760.00		
State Highway Tax	738.20		
Other State Charges	6.23		
County Tax	4,305.00	10,809.43	

Trust			
Perpetual Care deposits, invested	700.00		
Sold's' War Bonus dist., invest.	1,042.46	1,742.46	

REFUNDS

Departmental			
Overpayments	1.92		
Commonwealth of Mass.			
1921 Corp. Tax	.59		
1922 Trust Co., tax	55.78	58.29	

TRANSFERS

Departmental

Reserve Fund to

Selectmen	29.68	
Treasurer	60.72	
Assessors	6.52	
Police	107.23	
Forest Fires	157.57	
Highway Repairs	494.91	
Snow Removal	125.52	
Military Aid	129.62	
Trade Schools	178.58	
Tree planting,		
highways	3.50	
Care Swimm'g pool	27.25	
Town Reports	21.50	
Cemeteries	12.19	1,354.79

Town Hall Lights to

Town Hall	100.00	
Fire Dept. Equip. to		
Fire Dept.	9.20	
Street Oiling to		
Gen. Highways	92.71	
Fence Repairs to		
Gen. Highways	111.78	
School Repairs to		
Gen. Schools	4,650.00	4,963.69

Total of Transfer payments

6,318.48

BALANCES

Balances on hand at close of books as of Dec. 31,
1926:

General Cash	20,815.93	
Willson Fund, cash	222.33	
Fay Library, cash	17.61	
Rural Cemetery Fund Cash	644.09	21,699.96
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Total of all payments of Non Revenue accounts and balances	\$88,878.62
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Total of all payments of Revenue Ac- counts, brought forward	157,776.45
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Total of all payments and balances for 1926	\$246,655.07
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TRIAL BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 1927
(Adjusted)

General Cash	\$20,815.93	
Willson Fund, cash	222.33	
Fay Fund, cash	17.61	
Rural Cemetery Res., cash	644.09	
S. H. Howes, 1924 Tax account		1.09
1924 Moth account		.08
1924 Spraying	1.33	
1925 Tax Account	3,568.23	
1925 Moth Account	2.34	
1925 Spraying	35.84	
1926 Tax Account	14,967.80	
1926 Moth	15.85	
1926 Spraying	17.47	
Overlay Reserve Fund		1,462.78
Overlay 1923		198.24
Overlay 1924		247.36
Overlay 1925		331.76
Overlay 1926		304.12
Cemetery Accounts Receivable	221.50	
Comm. of Mass. State Aid, etc.	190.00	
Comm. of Mass. High'ys, Chap. 81	458.51	
Departmental Revenue		870.01
Special Assessments Revenue		66.82
Dog Licenses, 1926 receipts		723.90
Marlboro Road, Chap. 90, bal.		565.28

Cordaville Road, Chap. 90, bal.	4,123.99
Willson Fund, Income	222.33
Fay Fund, Income	17.61
Rural Cemetery Res. Fnd., Income	644.09
German War Gun Foundation, bal.	291.30
Interest on Cemetery Perpet. Care	
Deposits, bal.	308.71
Excess and Deficiency	30,799.36

\$41,178.83 \$41,178.83

TOWN OF SOUTHBOROUGH, BALANCE SHEET, JANUARY 1, 1927

ASSETS ACCOUNTS		LIABILITY ACCOUNTS	
Cash in Banks:		Dog Licenses, 1926	\$723.90
General Balance	\$20,815.93	Marlboro Road Balance	565.28
Fay Fund Cash	222.33	Cordaville Road Balance	4,123.99
Willson Fund Cash	17.61	Overlay Reserve F'd	\$1,462.78
Rural Cem. Res. Cash	644.09	Overlay, 1923 Bal.	198.24
	\$21,699.96	Overlay, 1924 Bal.	247.36
		Overlay, 1925 Bal.	331.76
		Overlay, 1926 Bal.	304.12
Accounts Receivable:			2,544.26
1924 Spraying	\$1.33	Departmental Revenue	\$870.01
1925 Taxes	3,568.23	Special Assess. Revenue	66.82
1925 Moth	2.34		936.83
1925 Spraying	35.84		
1926 Taxes	14,967.80	1924 Tax and Moth—overpaid	1.17
1926 Moth	15.85	German War Gun Base Bal.	291.30
1926 Spraying	17.47		
	18,608.86	Trust Fund Income Balances:	
		Fay Fund Inc.	\$17.61
Cemetery Dept.:		Willson Fund Inc.	222.33
Accounts Receivable	221.50	Rural Cem. Res. Inc.	644.09
Comm. of Massachusetts:			884.03
State and Military Aid	190.00		
Chapter 81 Reimb.	458.51	Interest	
	648.51	Unexpended Trust Fund Inc.	308.71
		Surplus of Revenue:	
		Excess and Deficiency	30,799.36
	\$41,178.83		\$41,178.83

DEBT STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1927

LOANS	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1926	Borrowed in 1926	Paid in 1926	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1927	Due 1927	Interest Due 1927
Revenue Loans		\$40,000	\$40,000			
Highway Equipment	\$6,000		2,000	\$4,000	\$2,000	Apr. 10
Cordaville Road (Chap. 90)	11,250		6,250	5,000	2,500	Oct. 15
Marlboro Road (Chap. 90)		6,600		6,600	3,300	Apr. 1-Oct. 1
	\$17,250	\$46,600	\$48,250	\$15,600	\$7,800	

INDEBTEDNESS

Net Bonded Debt	\$15,600.00	Town Debt:	
		Highway Equip. Loan,	
		1925	\$4,000.00
		Cordaville Road Loan,	
		1924, 1925	5,000.00
		Marlboro Road Loan, '26	6,600.00
	<u>\$15,600.00</u>		<u>\$15,600.00</u>

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TRUST FUNDS

Trust Funds:		Cemetery Trus. Funds	\$13,825.00
Cash and Securities	\$17,471.59	Fay Library Fund	1,604.13
		Willson Charity Fund	1,000.00
		War Memorial Fund	1,042.46
	<u>\$17,471.59</u>		<u>\$17,471.59</u>

SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1926

Selectmen (3)	\$450.00
Selectmen's Clerk	50.00
Accountant	300.00
Treasurer	400.00
Collector	500.00
Assessors (3), per day	3.50
Town Clerk	350.00
Registrars of Voters	80.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	75.00
Overseers of Poor (3)	200.00
School Committee (3)	300.00
Cemetery Commissioners (3)	50.00
Inspector of Animals	100.00
Tree Warden	25.00
Superintendent of Streets, per day	5.50
Board of Health (3)	75.00
Superintendent of Cemetery	250.00
Town Hall Committee (3)	75.00

TOWN OFFICERS, 1926

TOWN CLERK

Charles L. Fairbanks

TREASURER

Thomas E. Waldron

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Seth H. Howes

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Charles E. Bagley

SELECTMEN

Francis D. Newton	Term expires March, 1927
Charles F. Choate, 3rd.	Term expires March, 1928
George F. Field	Term expires March, 1929

ASSESSORS

George F. Field	Term expires March, 1927
Francis McNeil	Term expires March, 1928
Edward F. Collins	Term expires March, 1929

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Daniel F. Harrington	Term expires March, 1927
Albert Beaton	Term expires March, 1928
Paul S. Lincoln	Term expires March, 1929

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Dana J. Kidder	Term expires March, 1927
M. Irene Salmon	Term expires March, 1928
Leo B. Bunker	Term expires March, 1929

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Patrick M. Salmon	Term expires March, 1927
Francis D. Newton	Term expires March, 1928
Adelbert E. Collins	Term expires March, 1929

BOARD OF HEALTH

John L. Bacon	Term expires March, 1927
Leo B. Bunker	Term expires March, 1928
Carl R. Lindstrom	Term expires March, 1929

TREE WARDEN

Harry Burnett

TOWN HOUSE COMMITTEE

William Duncan	Albert E. Hutt
Joseph Ould	

CONSTABLES

Daniel F. Kelley	Joseph T. Ould
Francis D. Newton	William E. Wentworth

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY

Charles L. Fairbanks	Term expires March, 1927
Thomas P. Lindsay	Term expires March, 1927
Francis J. Maxwell	Term expires March, 1928
Raymond H. Oveson	Term expires March, 1928
Grace K. Harwood	Term expires March, 1929
Catherine S. Oveson	Term expires March, 1929

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Walter Brewer	Term expires March, 1927
James G. Stockwell	Term expires March, 1927
Thomas H. Fitzgerald	Term expires March, 1928
Edward C. Wells	Term expires March, 1928
George H. Burnett	Term expires March, 1929
J. Dallas Corbiere	Term expires March, 1929

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK

D. Clinton Nichols	Nathan F. Wadsworth
Paul S. Lincoln	William T. Aiken

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER

D. Clinton Nichols	Paul S. Lincoln
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PUBLIC WEIGHERS

D. C. Nichols	M. E. Fitzgerald
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FIELD DRIVERS

T. P. Thompson	D. F. Kelley
William E. Wentworth	

POUND KEEPER

Thomas Hayden

FENCE VIEWERS

J. D. C. Bradley

C. F. Leland

T. P. Lindsay

R. H. Oveson

WEIGHERS OF COAL

D. Clinton Nichols

Edward C. Nichols

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Charles L. Fairbanks

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

William H. Onthank

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Eugene Closson

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Charles L. Fairbanks

Elizabeth Colleary

Thomas F. O'Donnell

Herbert W. Schnare

BURIAL AGENT

Francis D. Newton

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 8, 1926.

The following votes were passed under the various articles:

Article 1. Chose Albert E. Hutt as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted to accept the reports of the various Town Officers and Committees as printed in the Town Report.

Article 3. Voted to raise the sum of \$114,058.06 for the expenditures as voted by the Town, and that the same be assessed upon the polls and estates within the town, and that the Assessors be authorized to deduct all estimated revenue for 1926 before establishing the tax rate. (See list of appropriations.)

Voted to appropriate from funds in the Treasury, \$218.37 to cover the deficit in the reserve appropriation for the year 1925.

Voted to appropriate from funds in the Treasury four hundred dollars towards the construction of a bath house at the swimming pool in Fayville.

Voted to appropriate from the Cemetery Committee's Reserve Fund, \$1,000.00 for the purchase of land for the Cemetery, and that the Cemetery Commissioners be authorized to purchase same.

Article 4. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anti-

pation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1926, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 5. Voted that the Dog Money, \$553.94, be appropriated, one half to the schools and one half to the Library, and that these amounts be added to their former appropriations.

Article 6. Voted to appropriate the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars to be expended by Post 44, G. A. R. for Memorial Day and decorating Soldiers' graves.

Article 7. Voted to appropriate the sum of fifty dollars to be expended by Post 44, G. A. R., in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 5, of the General Laws.

Article 8. Voted to install two electric lights on Mt. Vickory Road, and that \$31.50 be appropriated to maintain same.

Article 9. Voted that the sum of one hundred dollars be appropriated for planting trees along the highways.

Article 10. Voted to approve the transfer of \$125.00 from the Rural Cemetery Commissioners' Fund to General Cemetery account for 1925.

Article 11. Voted to appropriate \$266.26 for the Worcester County Hospital District for Tuberculosis.

Article 12. Voted that a Committee be appointed to look into the record of the World War Veterans as compiled by Rev. R. F. Cheney and report at the next Annual Town Meeting. (Charles F. Choate, Jr. Robert F. Cheney, Edward J. LaRoque, Committee).

Article 13. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 14. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 15. Voted that a Committee of three be appointed by the Chair to make arrangements and plans for the proper observance of the Town's Two Hundredth Anniversary of Incorporation. Voted that the Committee be given authority to increase its membership. (Charles F. Choate, Raymond H. Oveson, John Flannery, Committee.)

Article 16. Voted to appropriate fifty dollars for playgrounds.

Article 17. Voted that the Town Treasurer be authorized to deposit the Surplus War Bonus Money of \$1,042.46 in a special savings account to be known as the War Memorial Fund to await the time when it will be voted to use it for some specific purpose.

Article 18. Voted to appropriate ten thousand dollars for the permanent construction of Marlboro Road, commencing at the Marlborough City Line and extending easterly to Barney's Corner (so-called) one third of this amount to be raised by taxation this year, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized to borrow the

balance, (\$6,666.66) by the issue of notes,—one for \$3,333.33 payable in 1927 and one for \$3,333.33 payable in 1928.

(141 voted in favor and none against.)

Article 19. Voted to appropriate thirty-one dollars and fifty cents for the maintenance of two electric lights on the Town House grounds and that the same be installed.

Article 20. Voted to accept the contributions of the Saint Mark's School and the Fay Schol, Inc., and that the same be placed in the Town Treasury to be used for General purposes.

Article 21. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to confer with the Saint Mark's School in regard to the use of their swimming pool for the coming summer, and if arrangements can be made with them for its use by the town's people, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars be appropriated for police duty at that place if it is deemed necessary.

Voted that one hundred and seventy-five dollars be appropriated toward the reconstruction and repairs of the swimming pool in Fayville.

Article 22. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money for any of the appropriations made under this warrant. (81 in favor and none against.)

Article 23. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$218.37 from funds in the hands of the Treasurer, to

cover the deficit in the Reserve Appropriation for the year 1925.

Article 24. Voted that the Selectmen be instructed to bring a petition for a reduction of electric light rates.

Article 25. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 26. Voted to appropriate \$51.50 for the payment of A. E. Hutt for sand and gravel furnished the town in 1925.

Article 27. Voted that a Committee of three be appointed by the Chair to look into the matter of the Town's building a cistern in Fayville, consider its advisability and probable expense and report at some future meeting. Voted that further action under this Article be postponed until the Committee makes its report. (Carl R. Lindstrom, John H. McCloskey, Patrick J. Brock, Committee.)

Article 28. Voted that the Town gratefully accept the German War Gun from the American Legion, Leo L. Bagley Post 161, and that the Selectmen and a Committee from said Post determine its location.

Voted that the sum of \$200. be appropriated for a foundation for the gun and \$100. for painting the same.

Article 29. Voted to pass the Article.

Article 30. Mr. George H. Burnett, Chairman of the Advisory Committee, stated that \$150. had already

been donated by the Advisory Committee toward the purchase of a piano for the Town Hall and that the balance for its purchase would undoubtedly be raised by private donations, and under these circumstances it was VOTED to pass the Article.

Article 31. Voted that the Cemetery Commissioners be authorized to purchase additional land for the cemetery and that one thousand dollars be appropriated therefor.

Voted to dissolve the meeting.

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,
Town Clerk.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JUNE 8, 1926

Article 1. Elected Albert E. Hutt, as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted that the Town rescind its vote made at the Annual Town Meeting, held March 8, 1926, whereby it voted to appropriate \$10,000. for permanent construction of Marlboro Road, commencing at the Marlborough City Line, and extending easterly, one-third of this amount to be raised by taxation this year and the balance to be borrowed and payable \$3,333.33 in 1927 and \$3,333.33 in 1928.

Article 3. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate \$10,000. for permanent construction of highways, said sum to be used in conjunction with amounts contributed by the State and County for this purpose and to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow \$6,600. payable \$3,300. in 1927 and \$3,300. in 1928, the balance \$3,400. to be raised by taxation this year. (Thirty-four voted in favor and none against.)

Voted to dissolve the meeting.

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,

Town Clerk.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT, 1926

Births Registered, males	19
Births Registered, females	18
Marriages recorded	24
Deaths recorded, males	11
Deaths recorded, females	15
Fees for recording same	\$62.00
Dogs licensed, females	84
Dogs licensed, males	204
Kennel license	1
Paid County Treasurer	\$820.20
Dog license fees	57.80
Sporting licenses issued	74
Trapping licenses issued	7
Paid Department of Conservation	\$169.50
Fees for issuing licenses	22.50
Fees received for filing marriage intentions	24.00
Fees received for birth certificates	10.50
Fees received for recording mortgages	19.00

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,

Town Clerk.

BIRTHS

- Jan. 12. Wiles, Richard Allen, son of Charles G. and Lillian M. (Johnson) Wiles.
- Jan. 14. Blood, Dorothy, daughter of Donald and Ethel (Lincoln) Blood.
- Jan. 15. McHale, Richard, Jr., son of Richard and Catherine M. (Dolan) McHale.
- Jan. 19. Mabie, Reginald Osgood, son of William P. and Dorothy (Hadley) Mabie.
- Feb. 9. Agostinelli, Ernest, son of Sylvano and Italia (Borelli) Agostinelli.
- Feb. 13. Dyer, Walter Scott, son of John Fred and Louise (Bridgeman) Dyer.
- Feb. 16. Brock, Edward Francis, son of Patrick J. and Eunice R. (Doolittle) Brock.
- Mar. 16. Baker, Barbara Mary, daughter of John Walter and Barbara (Cronin) Baker.
- Mar. 22. Labarre, Girard Joseph, son of Raphael and Aline (Lapointe) Labarre.
- Mar. 27. Metcalf, Evelyn Lorraine, daughter of Robert J. and Alta (Tucker) Metcalf.
- Mar. 29. Vickers, Francis, son of George H. and Ida (Pierce) Vickers.

- Mar. 31. Wentworth, Roger Alan, son of Bruce K. and Henrietta (Anderson) Wentworth.
- Apr. 1. Ward, William Parmelee, son of William P. and Leona (MacEachern) Ward.
- Apr. 7. Bean, Charlotte Evelyn, daughter of Chester M. and Ruth (Stackemer) Bean.
- Apr. 21. Berri, Mary, daughter of Batista and Mary (Delavale) Berri.
- Apr. 29. Downie, (Baby), son of Albert C. and Margaret A. (Barnes) Downie.
- May 3. Duggan, Doris Ann, daughter of John and Vera (Keenan) Duggan.
- May 5. Holdsworth, Robert Merton, son of Fred and Helen (Osborne) Holdsworth.
- May 11. Phillipso, Mary, daughter of John and Gladys (Ricci) Phillipso.
- May 17. Howes, Mary Theresa, daughter of Robert H. and Mary (Burke) Howes.
- May 17. Aselkebian, Osger Asadoorian, son of Gabriel Asadoor and Zarook (Aselkebian) Aselkebian.
- May 20. Jeombetti, Renardo, son of Toni and Mary (Funnachi) Jeombetti.
- June 16. Sorenson, Elizabeth, daughter of Axel and Katrine (Fog) Sorenson.
- June 25. Finn, Jeanette Virginia, daughter of John V., Jr., and Mary (Winn) Finn.

- June 26. Misener, John Charles, son of Lawrence and Hilda (Cody) Misener.
- July 12. Salmon, Anne, daughter of Francis and Rose (Austell) Salmon.
- July 13. Giffin, Phyllis, daughter of James E. and Catherine (McDonald) Giffin.
- July 19. Mauro, Calvin Joseph, son of Joseph and Lucy (Pessalano) Mauro.
- July 30. Bagley, Thomas Michael, son of Joseph R. and Bridie (Sheehan) Bagley.
- Aug. 7. Woodman, Marguerite, daughter of Alvah and Naomi (Wilcox) Woodman.
- Aug. 22. Minnucci, (Baby), son of James and Antonette (Giovì) Minnucci.
- Sept. 27. Noberini, Robert John, son of Louis and Mena (Trioli) Noberini.
- Nov. 14. Stillborn.
- Dec. 10. Gebhart, Rita, daughter of Joseph F. and Nora (O'Connor) Gebhart.
- Dec. 12. Stivers, Dorothy Irene, daughter of Warren W. and Bertha (Goff) Stivers.
- Dec. 26. Huntington, Merne Muir, daughter of Walter L. and Edith L. (Muir) Huntington.
- Dec. 28. Mahoney, Marguerite Marie, daughter of Robert and Angeline (Guertin) Mahoney.

MARRIAGES

- Jan. 25. Warren Winfield Stivers to Bertha Irene Goff.
- Feb. 20. Herbert L. Kimball to Alice L. Brigham.
- Mar. 1. Roy Sparrowk to Clara E. Chapman.
- Apr. 19. Raymond Beals to Grace Viola Hamilton.
- June 7. Armand Philip Richer to Marion Gladys Blanchette.
- June 10. Joseph Laycock Strickland to Helen B. Casey.
- June 29. John Richard Suydam, Jr., to Margaret Thayer.
- July 24. Kenneth H. Ramsdell to Elsie I. Norcross.
- Aug. 10. Burton Bruce Derby to Hazel Arline Stinson.
- Aug. 14. William Robert Armstrong to Daisy Belle Frampton.
- Sept. 1. Charles Clayton Brigham to Mary Jane Wright.
- Sept. 20. Alfred Giombetti to Modesta Garilli.
- Sept. 20. James Vincent Delaney to Margaret Agnes Boland.

- Sept. 25. Clarence Edward Baker to Mary Otis Alderson.
- Oct. 2. Herbert Alonzo MacKenzie to Elizabeth Hazel Misener.
- Oct. 4. Francis T. Irvine to Mary Flavie Boucher.
- Oct. 4. H. Edward Richardson to Kathryn Sullivan.
- Oct. 12. John Pino to Elizabeth Ann Ramelli.
- Nov. 9. William R. Hofelt to Ruth Eleanor Jones.
- Nov. 25. Eugene Mauro to Mary McBride.
- Nov. 25. Richard O. Howes to Anna G. Haley.
- Nov. 27. Tilio Delardo to Delcisa Aspesi.

DEATHS

- Jan. 5. Caroline E. Bouthillet, 88 years, 4 months, 27 days.
- Feb. 1. Julia Pinardi, 67 years.
- Feb. 16. John Sealey, 75 years, 3 months, 12 days.
- Mar. 20. Flora Ann Fay, 82 years, 3 months, 2 days.
- Apr. 4. Catherine F. Ray, 62 years.
- Apr. 15. Richard Allen Wiles, 3 months, 3 days.
- Apr. 30. Mary C. Quinn, 50 years.
- May 4. (Baby) Downie, 6 days.
- May 20. Joseph Catagnetti, 34 years, 4 months, 26 days.
- May 21. Mary Mandeville Haviland, 60 years, 4 months, 6 days.
- May 22. Mary A. Bucknan, 79 years, 11 months, 29 days.
- May 26. Margaret Elizabeth Hoey, 73 years.
- June 20. Ellen Badger Gordon, 59 years, 21 days.
- June 21. Frank T. Guinasso, 50 years, 3 months, 17 days.
- June 23. John Baptiste Neree Bourcier, 6 years, 2 months, 3 days.

- June 29. John Rabeni, 76 years, 9 months, 16 days.
- Aug. 4. Julia Bond Hyde, 83 years, 4 months, 3 days.
- Sept. 8. Eliza Elmira Salisbury, 83 years, 19 days.
- Sept. 10. Mary Cowen, 70 years.
- Sept. 16. William John Turner, 55 years, 7 months, 9 days.
- Sept. 27. Albert F. Hyde, 61 years, 8 months, 2 days.
- Nov. 9. Oliver B. Roberts, 57 years, 8 months.
- Nov. 14. Stillborn.
- Nov. 21. Emma Pache, 57 years, 7 months, 6 days.
- Nov. 22. William Pratt, 78 years, 10 months, 25 days.
- Dec. 29. Mary Belle Nelson, 71 years, 7 months, 27 days.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31st, 1926:

Total number of stables inspected	61
Number of dairy cows inspected	835
Number of young cattle inspected	126
Number of bulls inspected	29
Total number of cattle inspected	990
Number of swine inspected	36
Total number of animals inspected	1,026
Number of cattle quarantined	1
Number of cattle killed	1
Number of cattle released	0

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. ONTHANK,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF WORK DONE ON SOUTHBORO ROADS IN 1926—UNDER CHAPTER 81

Work began June 3, 1926.

1. Turnpike:

Dragged once. Scraped twice, 1000 ft. gravelling, 16 feet wide and 5 inches deep. Scarified and rolled. 2 cu. yds. K.P. Patch. .75 mile oiled 16 ft. wide (2000 gal. oil used).

2. Washington:

4 yds. gravel patching done. Drainage ditches cleared.

3. Deerfoot:

Dragged twice, scraped once. 1500 ft. graveling, 10 feet wide and 4 inches deep. 1500 feet stone fill, 10 feet wide and 5 inches deep. Scarified and rolled. Oiled 16 feet wide. 1000 gal. oil used.

4. Lovers Lane:

Scraped. 39 cu. yds. gravel used.

5. Flagg Road:

Dragged and scraped. 2500 feet gravelling, 5 inches deep and 12 feet wide. Oiled 12 feet wide. 500 gal. oil used.

6. Clifford Road:
Scraped twice. 1000 feet grvaelling, 5 inches deep and 12 feet wide.
7. Parkerville Road:
Dragged once, scraped twice. 47 yds. gravel patching. $\frac{3}{4}$ mile scarified and rolled. $\frac{3}{4}$ mile oiled 16 feet wide. 5000 gal. oil used.
8. Southville Road: :
30 cu. yds. gravel used. 1 cu. yd. boulders removed. 2 cu. yds. K.P. Patching. Oiled 16 feet wide. 4160 gal. oil used.
9. Highland Road:
Scraped once. 17 cu. yds. gravel patching. 1-12" culvert 34 feet long installed. .6 mile oiled. 900 gallons oil used.
10. Woodbury Road:
18 cu. yds. gravel patching done. $\frac{1}{2}$ mile wheel ruts filled.
11. Richards Road:
Scraped. 22 cu. yds. gravel patching done.
12. Gilmore Road:
Scraped.
Scraped.
13. Bridge Street:
Dragged and scraped. 400 feet gravel inches deep and 12 feet wide.

14. Wood Street:
Scraped.
15. Fairchild:
Scraped.
16. Prentiss Street:
Scraped.
17. Pearl Street:
Scraped.
18. Cordaville Cut Off:
500 feet drainage ditches cleaned. 1-3 yds.
K.P. Patching. Oiled 14 feet wide. 300 gal-
lons oil used.
19. Cordaville Road:
Dragged twice, scraped once. 1 cu. yd. K.P.
Patching. Oiled 16 feet wide. 300 gallons oil
used.
20. Latisquama Road:
Scraped. 30 feet of 6" drain installed. Oiled
12 feet wide. 500 gallons oil used.
21. White Bagley Road:
Scraped. 23 cu. yds. gravel used. Oiled 12
feet wide. 500 gallons oil used.
22. Breakneck Hill Road:
Scraped. 38 cu. yds. gravel used.
23. Woodland Road:
600 feet gravelling, 5 inches deep, 12 feet
wide. 600 feet scarified and rolled. Oiled 16
feet wide. 800 gal. oil used.

24. Oak Hill Road:

Scraped. One 10" culvert, 20 feet long installed. 16 cu. yds. gravel used. 1 1/2 cu. yds. K.P. Patching. Oiled 16 feet wide. 200 gallons oil used.

25. Mill Road:

Scraped. 23 cu. yds. gravelling done.

26. Oregon Road:

Dragged twice, scraped twice. 300 feet stone fill, 3 inches deep and 10 feet wide. 550 feet gravelling, 5 in. deep, 12' wide.

27. Edgewood Road:

Scraped.

28. Mt. Vickery Road:

Scraped.

29. Middle Road:

Scraped. 36 cu. yds. gravelling, 4 in. deep, 16 feet wide.

29. Middle Road (cont.):

400 feet scarified and rolled. Oiled 12 feet wide. 1800 gallons oil used.

30. Marlboro Road:

Dragged twice, scraped once. Entire length scarified and rolled. 6 yds. (cu.) K.P. Patching used. Oiled 16 feet wide. 5200 gal. oil used.

31. Acre Bridge Road:
Scraped 3 times. 1500 yds. gravel borrow used from Marlboro Road, placed 8 inches deep, 12 feet wide. Oiled twice 12 feet wide. 2000 gallons oil used.
32. Framingham Road:
Dragged twice. Scraped twice. 400 feet gravelled. 4 inches deep, 20 feet wide. 15 cu. yds. P.K. Patching. Entire road scarified and rolled. Oiled 20 feet wide. 12,000 gallons used.
33. Cross Street:
Scraped twice. 350 feet gravelled, 4 inches deep, 10 feet wide. Scarified and rolled. Oiled 12 feet wide. 300 gallons oil used.
34. Contral Street:
60 lin. feet of 8 inch corr. iron culvert removed, cleaned and replaced. $\frac{3}{4}$ cu. yd. P.K. Patching used. 400 feet of roadway scarified and rolled. Entire street oiled. 1760 gallons oil used.
35. Winter Street:
Scraped. Scarified and rolled. Entire street oiled. 500 gallons oil used.
36. Larnard Street:
Scraped.
37. Cherry Street:
Scarified. Rolled and oiled. 300 gallons oil used.

38. Pleasant Street:
Scarified. Rolled and oiled. 300 gallons oil used.
39. Willow Street:
Scraped, scarified and rolled. Oiled. 500 gallons used.
40. Valley Road:
Scraped. 6 cu. yds. gravel used for patching.
41. Laurel Hill Road:
Scraped.
42. Brewer Road:
Scraped.
43. Pine Hill Road:
Scraped. 800 feet gravelled, 5 in. deep, 12 ft. wide. Oiled 12 feet wide. 600 gallons oil used.
44. Pine Hill Extension:
Scraped. 6 cu. yds. gravel used.
45. Clement Street:
Scraped.
46. Boston Road:
Scarified and rolled. 100 feet of 8 in. drain removed. Cleaned and replaced. Constructed stone catch basin. Laid 6 feet of 12" drain. Oiled 18 feet wide. 3500 gallons oil used.
47. Newton Road:
Scarified and rolled. $\frac{1}{2}$ yd. of K.P. Patching. Oiled twice. 4300 gal. oil used.

48. School Street:
Scraped twice. Oiled. 500 gallons oil used.
49. Railroad Ave.:
Scraped. Oiled. 200 gallons oil used.
50. Winchester Street:
Scraped. 100 feet gravelled, 4 in. deep, 10 ft. wide.
51. Lyman Street:
Scraped.
52. Upland Road:
Scraped.
53. Walker Street:
Scraped.
54. Main Street:
Scraped. 3 cu. yds. K.P. Patching. 3700 gallons tarvia "A" applied. 600 gallons oil applied.
55. Sears Road:
Scraped twice. 4000 feet gravelled, 6 in. deep and 12 ft. wide. $\frac{1}{2}$ mile oiled. 1200 gallons oil used.
56. Fisher Road:
Dragged and scraped. 400 feet gravelled, 5 in. deep and 16 ft. wide. Scarified and rolled. $\frac{1}{2}$ mile oiled. 300 gallons oil used.

57. Jericho Hill:
Dragged and scraped twice. 150 feet gravelled, 5 in. deep and 16 ft. wide. 100 ft. scarified and rolled. Oiled. 400 gal. oil used.
58. Northboro Road:
Dragged once and scraped twice. 700 ft. gravelled, 5 in. deep and 16 feet wide. 200 feet scarified and rolled. Oiled. 1000 gal. oil used.
59. Chestnut Hill Road:
Dragged. 24 yds. gravel used. Oiled. 500 gal. oil used.
60. Ward Road:
Scraped. 590 yds. gravel used. 1 yd. K.P. Patch. 500 feet scarified and rolled. Oiled twice. 4500 gal. oil used.
61. High Street:
Scraped. 4 cu. yds. gravel used.
62. Brigham Street:
Scraped. 15 cu. yds. gravel used.
63. Church Street:
1 cu. yd. K.P. Patching. Oiled. 600 gal. oil used.
64. "A" Street:
Scraped. 14 cu. yds. gravel used.
65. Harrington Street:
Removed old stone culvert. Laid 40 feet of 12" tile drain.

REMARKS

This is the first year that the Town has worked under Chapter 81, in conjunction with the State in maintaining all the roads in the town. The town entered the Act on June 3, 1926, and has done excellent work upon its roads, under the direction of Mr. Toombs, the Superintendent of Streets, and the supervision of the State.

All roads have had some work done upon them. The roads have been scraped and dragged, culverts cleaned and repaired, considerable oil and tar patching done, and the roads oiled. Many of the roads have had mud holes repaired and considerable improved work has been done.

Mr. Toombs, the Superintendent of Streets, has proved a very capable man for the position. He has always appeared willing to co-operate in every way and has shown great interest in his work.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. VESPER,

Chapter 81 Assistant.

TOOLS ON HAND IN TOWN OF SOUTHBORO
DECEMBER 1, 1926

Name	Number
Brooms, barn	1
Brooms, push	6
Brushes, paint	1
Hand drill hammers	2
Hammers, car	1
Kettles, heating	1
Lanterns	6
Mattocks	1
Mixing Boards	1
Pails, galv.	2
Picks	9
Stone Forks	17
Iron Bars	2
Rakes, iron	3
Road Drags, Minn.	2
Road Machines, A. Champion	1
Road Machines, Lit. Western	1
Road Machine Blades, A. Champion	1
Drag Blades	6
Saws, car. X cut	1
Screens, sand	1
Sewer Rods, lin. ft.	30
Shovels, short rd.	21

Shovels, short sq.	2
Tampers, sq.	1
Long handle shovels	2
Steam Roller	1
Truck	1
Tractor	1

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. VESPER,

Chapter 81 Assistant.

**AMOUNT EXPENDED IN TOWN OF SOUTHBORO
IN 1926, UNDER CHAPTER 81**

No.	Road	Amount
1.	Turnpike	\$394.73
2.	Washington	
3.	Deerfoot	<u>266.00</u>
4.	Lover's Lane	
5.	Flagg Road	<u>388.18</u>
6.	Clifford	17.00
7.	Parkerville	36.00
8.	Southville	17.50

9.	Highland	89.87
10.	Woodbury	<hr/>
11.	Richards	87.25
12.	Gilmore	<hr/>
13.	Bridge	119.75
14.	Wood	<hr/>
15.	Fay Court	14.50
16.	Prentiss	<hr/>
17.	Pearl	<hr/>
18.	Cordaville Road (Cut-off)	28.00
19.	Cordaville Road	46.14
20.	Latisquama Road	27.50
21.	White Bagley	94.07
22.	Breakneck Hill Road	42.50
23.	Woodland	275.63
24.	Oak Hill	54.75
25.	Mill	45.50
26.	Oregon	289.50
27.	Edgewood	<hr/>
28.	Mt. Vickery	46.00
29.	Middle	59.56
30.	Marlboro	146.00
31.	Acre Bridge	214.40
32.	Framingham	810.68
33.	Cross	100.00
34.	Central	30.25
35.	Winter	117.00
36.	Larnard	<hr/>
37.	Cherry	15.00
38.	Pleasant	18.50
39.	Willow	5.00

40.	Valley	13.00
41.	Laurel Hill	_____
42.	Brewer	_____
43.	Pine Hill	326.93
44.	Pine Hill Extension	_____
45.	Clement	_____
46.	Boston	149.67
47.	Newton	58.99
48.	School	_____
49.	R. R. Ave.	_____
50.	Winchester	_____
51.	Lyman	_____
52.	Upland	_____
53.	Walker	_____
54.	Main	203.70
55.	Sears	519.08
56.	Fisher	169.50
57.	Jericho Hill	172.12
58.	Northboro	220.97
59.	Chestnut Hill	40.00
60.	Ward	406.81
61.	High	5.00
62.	Brigham	_____
63.	Church	101.00
64.	"A" St.	_____
65.	Harrington	_____
	Miscellaneous Roads	8.50
	Gas and Oil	434.40
	Machinery	182.25
	Machinery Repairs	331.76
	Tools	104.26

Culverts	127.80
Asphaltic Road Oil	3,145.88
Covering Oil	62.19
K.P. Patching Tar	121.88
Broken Stone	72.00
Gravel	405.50
Sand	5.25
Cement	9.00
Machinery Supplies	60.00
Posts and Lumber	369.56
Signs	7.75
Coal	102.37
Pipe	21.89
Freight	1.08
Telephone	5.59
Miscellaneous	226.75
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Total Payroll	\$12,229.74
Total Material	\$6,680.86
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	\$12,229.74
Overdrawn on Allotment	229.74
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	\$12,000.00
Town Allotment	\$7,200.00
State Allotment	4,800.00
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	\$12,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. VESPER,
Chapter 81 Assistant.

REPORT OF CHIEF OF SOUTHBORO FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1926

Total number of fires 36.

The equipment of the department is in very good condition, with the exception of hose, there is about 1000 feet of single jacketed hose left from the original hose, that will not stand the pulsations of the pumper. This I am gradually replacing with double jacket hose.

The time has come when we have got to do something about the station at Southboro center.

The apparatus at this station weighs about 12 tons. The building was never intended to stand any such strain. The vibrations of the machines, when running, shakes the building so much that it is spreading apart, and foundation walls are cracking and falling down. With the present heating system the building is nothing but a fire trap. One of the State Inspectors has reported the condition of building. He reports that we will wake up some morning and find it burned down.

It takes 90 days to get new apparatus, that means that we would be without fire protection for that period of time.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE CLOSSON,
Chief of Fire Department.

ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR 1926

	Valuations	
	April 1, 1925.	April 1, 1926
Real Estate	\$2,391,355	\$2,495,780
Personal Property	805,821	789,586
Total Valuation	3,197,176	3,285,366
Town Appropriations	\$114,124.72	
State Tax	5,760.00	
State Highway Tax	738.20	
State, Auditing Town Accounts	6.23	
County Tax	4,305.00	
Overlayings for current year	427.92	
Total for Expenditures		\$125,362.07

Deduct Estimated Receipts as follows:

Income Tax from State	\$7,266.74
From Fay School	1,820.00
From St. Mark's School	1,500.00
Met. Water and Sewerage Board	
in lieu of Tax on Land	2,980.35
Corporation Tax	5,000.00
Bank Tax	1,227.08
Moth Tax	100.11
Private Spraying	327.81
Licenses	50.00
Permits	50.00

Fines	50.00	
General Government	250.00	
Protection of Persons and Prop'ty	200.00	
Charities	400.00	
Soldiers' Benefits	100.00	
Education	1,300.00	
Libraries	50.00	
Unclassified Accounts	150.00	
Cemeteries	1,200.00	
Interest on Deposits	375.00	
Interest on Taxes and Assessm'ts	450.00	
Interest on Perpetual Care Sec.	650.00	
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Total Deductions		\$25,497.09
Amount Committed to Collector, on		
Property and Polls		\$99,864.98
For Moth Tax		100.11
For Private Spraying		327.81
Committed to Collector by Warrant		100,292.90
Rate of Tax on \$1000, \$30.00.		
Taxes Added		2.00
Taxes Abated, 1923 Assessment		
Personal (uncollectable)		\$6.90
Taxes Abated, 1924 Assessment		
15 Poll Taxes	\$30.00	
Personal	13.20	\$43.20
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Taxes Abated, 1925 Assessment		
10 Poll Taxes	\$20.00	
Personal	12.87	
Moth Tax	3.50	36.37
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Taxes Abated, 1926 Assessment

4 Poll Taxes	\$8.00	
Personal	55.80	
Real Estate	60.00	123.80

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE F. FIELD,

FRANCIS McNEIL,

EDWARD F. COLLINS,

Assessors of Southborough.

LIST OF JURORS—1926

as prepared by the Selectmen of Southborough, in accordance with Chapter 234 of the General Laws.

Bradley, John D. C.	Manufacturer
Burnett, George H.	Manufacturer
Burnett, John T.	Manufacturer
Corbiere, J. Dallas	Executive
Eaton, Harris D.	Farmer
Field, George F.	Salesman
Flannery, John J.	Superintendent
Fuller, Fred C.	Mechanic
Green, Walter	Farmer
Harwood, Richard G.	Insurance
Hosmer, Irving S.	Farmer
Hunt, Donald R.	Orchardist
Ladd, Harry L.	Overseer
Lindsay, Thomas P.	Farmer
McMaster, Harry A.	Real Estate
Sawin, Harry W.	Clerk
Smith, Erwin E.	Electrician
Spurr, Harry B.	Farmer
O'Connell, John D.	Clerk
Toombs, Amos J.	Builder
Wadsworth, Nathan F.	Merchant
Wells, Edward C.	Farmer
Wells, Fred H.	Clerk
Young, Harry W.	Merchant

Francis D. Newton
Charles F. Choate, 3rd.
George F. Field

Selectmen
of
Southborough

TREASURER'S REPORT

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Town of Southborough**

1926

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Jan.	Balance	\$25,032.36
	15. Comm. of Mass., Highway	3.16
	21. Comm. of Mass., Mothers with Dependent Children	138.67
	25. School, F. E. Compton Co., check returned	55.00
	30. F. E. Staples, 1 mo. salary returned	8.33
	Cty of Worcester, Cordaville Rd.	3.17
Feb.	10. School, Sale of Material, Fay Sch.	15.90
	13. J. DeMone, Garage and Gasoline License	2.00
	23. J. DeMone, Garage License	10.00
Mar.	1. Boston & Worc. St. Ry. Co.	13.51
Apr.	1. Cem. Trust Fund, Francis Wright	100.00
	Comm. of Mass., Vocation Educ'n	332.06

	8.	Loan, North End Savings Bank, Due Nov. 1, '26	10,000.00
	16.	Comm. of Mass., Income Tax, 1923	82.50
		Income Tax, 1924	104.50
		Income Tax, 1925	240.00
		Boston & Worc. St. Ry. Co., Bus License	250.00
May	8.	Cem. Trust Fund, Est. of Kath- erine W. Barney	100.00
	11.	Samues Cohen & Son, Junk License	5.00
	12.	S. Rosenblatt, Junk License	5.00
	18.	School, Fay School, Sale of Material	6.30
		Richard Flynn, check returned	10.00
	21.	Comm. of Mass., Mothers with Dependent Children	138.66
	28.	People's National Bank, Loan due Nov. 15, 1926	10,000.00
	29.	World Book, check returned	20.63
June	8.	Cemetery Trust Fd., W. R. Nichols	100.00
		N. Y., N. H. & H. R.R. Co., Fires	12.65
	9.	Cem. Trust Fd., N. B. Parmenter	100.00
	16.	Grafton Co., Loan Due Dec. 15, '26	10,000.00
	30.	School, A. S. Woodward, Tel. Calls	2.60
July	3.	School, Fay School, Material	7.00
		Martha Tower, Sale of Cloth	9.20
	8.	St. Mark's School, Contribution	1,500.00
		Material	55.50

	17.	C. F. Leland, use of Roller	5.00
		Deerfoot Dairy, Oil	20.65
	23.	Comm. of Mass., Training School	109.50
		Corp. Tax, Business	124.37
	30.	Cem. Trust Funds, George L. Works	100.00
Aug.	5.	Auctioneers' License	2.00
		Junk Dealers' License	5.00
	6.	A. J. Toombs, use of truck	15.00
		Hagop & Nenait Jobian, Fire Acct.	2.80
		Comm. of Mass., Gypsy Moth	35.54
	20.	Old Colony Corp., Loan due Dec.	
		30, '26	10,000.00
	21.	Cemetery Tr. Fund, John Stowe F'd.	100.00
	26.	Deerfoot Farm, Oil	30.02
	27.	Met. Water Board, Taxes	2,980.35
	28.	Comm. of Mass., Tuit'n of Children	886.50
Sept.	20.	Fay Library, Sale of Books, Mrs.	
		Closson	1.10
		City of Marlborough, Highway	60.00
		Highway	20.00
		Comm. of Mass., Highway	2,270.60
	30.	Highway	2,761.51
Oct.	5.	District Court, Fines	40.00
	9.	C'ty of Worcester, Cordaville Rd.	2,761.51
	11.	School, Town of Hopkinton	262.50

13.	Old Colony Corp., Loan due Oct. 1, '27	3,300.00
	Loan due Oct. 1, '28	3,300.00
	Int.	9.35
15.	Chas. E. Bagley, Gravel	5.00
	Cem. Trust. Fund, Chas. T. Aldrich Fund	100.00
23.	Comm. of Mass., School Supt. Highway	753.05 649.17
30.	Highway, Marlboro Rd.	5,000.00
	Highway, Cordavill Rd.	6,636.55
	County of Worcester, Highway, Cordaville Rd.	6,636.58
	County of Worcester, Highway, Marlboro Rd.	5,000.00
Nov. 2.	Fay School, Contribution for '26	1,820.00
11.	County of Worcester, Marlboro Road	2,517.00
12.	Comm. of Mass., Marlboro Rd. Highway	2,517.00 624.32
	Corp. Tax, P. Service	1,154.51
	Corp. Tax, Business	1,337.50
	Income Tax, 1926	7,266.74
	Bank Tax	1,390.64
	Trust Co. Tax	2,009.96
	State Aid	210.00
23.	Soldiers' Exemption	54.49
24.	Incom eTax, 1926	2,646.85
28.	John Crahan, Purchase of Stove	10.00

Dec.	8.	School, Howe Lumber Co. check returned	1.94
	13.	Comm. of Mass., License County of Worc., Highway, Marl- boro Rd.	16.00 1,200.00
	17.	Comm. of Mass., Highway, Marl- boro Rd.	1,200.00
	18.	Comm. of Mass., High'y Marl. Rd.	797.40
	24.	Highway, Marlboro Rd. County of Worc., Highway, Marlboro Rd.	211.89 211.89
	27.	N. Y., N. H. & H. R.R. Co., Fires	41.70
	31.	A. E. Hutt County of Worc., Marlboro Rd. County of Worc., Dog Fund A. E. Hutt, Bal. of Acct.	5.40 32.68 723.90 4.80
Jan.		Comm. of Mass., Highway Cem. Trust Funds, Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co. F. D. Newton, Refund Ac. G. A. R. App., 1926	32.68 672.35 10.85
	11.	Sealer Weights and Meas., Cash Junk Dealers' License, Cash A. J. Toombs, Sup. for M. R. Maley's Driveway Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax. P. S., 1926 Corp. Tax, Business, 1926	26.72 5.00 22.07 1.00 123.74

Rural Cemetery Comm., Cash	707.50
People's Nat. Bank, Int. on Dep.	357.42
Fay Library, Fines	36.04
Fayville Hall Committee, Cash	113.50
Town Hall Committee, Cash	284.50
Cemetery Committee, Cash	830.00
Tree Warden, Private Spraying	20.66
Tree Warden, Sale of Poison	47.76
S. H. Howe, Coll. Taxes, 1922	5.00
1923	26.30
1924	2,351.39
1925	6,945.85
1926	85,274.43
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	\$238,348.72

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Mar.	6.	R. H. Howes, Postmaster, Stamped Envelopes	\$22.08
Apr.	3.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 55	2.00
	8.	No. End Saving Banks, Int. due on Note Nov. 1, '26, at $3\frac{3}{4}$	215.63
	14.	No. End Saving Banks, Note due Apr. 15, '26	2,000.00
		6 mo. Int. on Steam Roller and Truck Loan	120.00
		Int. on Cordaville Rd. Loan to April 15, '26	196.02

		Cemetery Trust Fund, Mass Hos- pital Life Ins. Co.	100.00
Apr.	27.	W. E. Wentworth, Court Fines	3.48
May	8.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Mass. Hos- pital Life Ins. Co.	100.00
	22.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 56	2.00
	28.	People's Nat. Bank, Int. on Loan due Nov. 15, '26, at $3\frac{1}{2}$	166.25
June	5.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 57	2.00
	12.	Refund to E. C. Wells, for Poison	1.92
	14.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Mass. Hos- pital Life Ins. Co.	200.00
	16	Grafton Co., Int. on Loan due Dec. 15, '26, at 3.456	174.77
July	17.	W. E. Wentworth, Court Duty	9.32
	26.	Comm. of Mass., Corp. Tax, 1921	.59
Aug.	12.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 58	2.00
	20.	Old Colony Corp., Loan due Dec. 30, '26, Int.	127.97
		Cemetery Trust Fund, Mass. Hos- pital Life Ins. Co.	200.00
Sept.	22.	E. E. Chase, Court Expense	91.56
Oct.	5.	F. D. Newton, District Court	10.76
	4.	T. N. Waddell, Director, Note 59-60	4.00
	5.	W. E. Wentworth, Court Expense	18.61

14.	North End Saving Bank, Loan due Oct. 15, Cordaville Rd.	3,750.00
	Int.	230.63
	Loan due Oct. 15	
	Steam Roller and Truck	2,500.00
	Interest	80.00
19.	County Tax, R. R. Kendall, County Treasurer	4,305.00
Nov. 1.	North End Saving Bank, Loan due Nov. 1	10,000.00
4.	R. H. Howes, Postmaster, Envelopes	22.08
13.	People's National Bank, Note due Nov. 15	10,000.00
23.	Comm. of Mass., State Tax	5,760.00
	Auditing Acct.	6.23
	State Highway Repairs	738.20
	Trust Co. Tax, 1922	55.78
Dec. 11.	Grafton Co., Note due Dec. 15, '26	10,000.00
20.	Cemetery Trust Fund, Mass. Hos- pital Life Ins. Co.	100.00
	War Memorial Fund Deposited Marlborough Savings Bank	1,042.46
28.	Old Colony Corp., Loan due Dec. 31, '26	10,000.00
	Rural Cemety Comm., care of Lots	707.50
	Selectmen's Orders	154,463.95
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		\$217,532.79
Balance		20,815.93
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		\$238,348.72

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Fay Library**

1926		Balance		\$6.77
Jan.		Amer. Tel. and Tel. Co.	\$20.00	
Eeb.	21.	Marlboro Savings Bank Int.	2.34	
May	2.	Town of Gardner	10.00	
July	1.	Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co.	20.00	
	21.	Marlboro Savings Bank	2.34	
Nov.	2.	Town of Gardner	10.00	64.68
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Sept.	2.	Library Book House		53.84
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		Balance		\$17.61

**Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with
Willson Charity Fund**

1926		Balance		\$212.33
Jan.	6.	Unit. S. Mach. Co., Div.	\$15.00	
Apr.	6.	do.	15.00	
July	6.	do.	15.00	
Oct.	6.	do.	15.00	60.00
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				\$272.33

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Nov. 24.	Jessie W. Metcalf, Treas.	50.00
	Balance	<u>\$222.33</u>

Rural Cemetery Commissioners

Thomas E. Waldron, Treasurer, in Account with

1926	Balance	\$1.272.69
Jan. 31.	People's Nat. Bank, Int.	\$2.13
Feb. 28.	do.	2.03
Mar. 31.	do.	1.84
June 3.	Pierino Castagnetti, Lot 19, Range 15	40.00
	5. David Ginty and Patrick Bradley, Lot 21, R. 13	60.00
	9. Eleanor Telfer, Lot 50, Range 12	30.00
	30. People's Nat. Bank, Int.	.68
July 30.	,do.	.66
Aug. 2.	Marie Guinasso, Lot 11, Range 13	30.00
	31. People's Nat. Bank, Int.	.68
Sept. 2.	Joseph Rabini, Lot 20, Range 13	30.00
	29. William A. Quinn, Lot 20, Range 13	30.00

	30.	Samuel Beck, Lot 34,		
		Range 13	60.00	
		People's Nat. Bank, Int.	.68	
Oct.	6.	Andred F. Bigelow, Lot 21,		
		Range 15	40.00	
		Fred E. Granger, Lot 23,		
		Range 15	40.00	
	31.	People's Nat. Bank, Int.	.77	
Nov.	30.	do.	.94	
Dec.	31.	do.	.99	371.40
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				\$1,644.09
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Apr.	3.	C. L. Fairbanks	1,000.00	
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		Balance		644.09

THOMAS E. WALDRON, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

155 Trust Funds	Lot	Section	Deposited with Treas.	Interest Unexpended	Interest 1926	Total Interest	Care of Lot	Unex- pended
Aldrich, Chas. T.	45	8	100.00					
Angier, C. M.	28	11	100.00	9.25	5.00	14.25	5.00	9.25
Arnold, Jackson	27	2	50.00	.12	2.50	2.62	2.50	.12
Atwood, Edwin Fund	61	11	100.00	4.95	5.00	9.95	5.00	4.95
Baker Lot	13	10	100.00	15.25	5.00	20.25	5.00	15.25
Bacon, A. E.	4	3	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	6.00	1.25
Barney, Nancy E.	17	5	50.00	.12	2.50	2.62	2.50	.12
Barney, G. F., Mrs.	52	7	100.00	1.20	5.00	6.20	5.00	1.20
Barney, Lester W. and Katherine W.	40	8	100.00					
Basseli, Paul, w. h.	8	13	50.00	1.27	2.50	3.77	2.50	1.27
Bemis, M. E.	46	2	100.00	3.25	5.00	8.25	5.00	3.25
Bemis, Jacob	37	3	50.00	.12	2.50	2.62	2.50	.12
Belknap, Hiram	48	2	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Blair, M. Lizzie	5	7	100.00	6.00	5.00	11.00	5.00	6.00
Borelli, Margaret e. h.	10	12	50.00	1.62	2.50	4.12	2.50	1.62
Brigham, Lucretia L.	7	9	100.00	6.00	5.00	11.00	5.00	6.00
Brigham, Dana E.	6	5	75.00		3.75	3.75	3.75	
Brigham, E. M.	17	2	100.00	6.25	5.00	11.25	5.00	6.25

Brewer, Walter L.	25	9	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Brewer, Arthur F.	5	11	75.00		3.75	3.75	3.75	
Brown Lot	29	9	100.00	5.25	5.00	10.25	5.00	5.25
Buck, Mrs. Chas. M.	42	6	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Buck, Wallace B.	3	7	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Buck, William H.	49	7	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Burdett, Fund	15	9	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Burnett, Charles	32	3	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Chamberlain, Ephraim	10	3	100.00	7.25	5.00	12.25	6.00	6.25
Chamberlain, John	6	3	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Chamberlain, Ellen Jane	7	1	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Choate, E. C.	50	11	100.00	8.75	5.00	13.75	6.00	7.75
Clifford, William D.	20	4	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Colleary, Wm. & John	17	12	100.00	2.00	5.00	7.00	5.00	2.00
Cook, Mrs. Hiram E.	33	9	100.00	5.75	5.00	10.75	8.00	2.75
Coldwell, William H.	30	10	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	5.00	2.25
Collins, William	18-4	4-10	150.00	5.37	7.50	12.87	9.00	3.87
Collins, Leander A.	3	9	75.00	.68	3.75	4.43	4.00	.43
Crouch, Elijah, Fund	19	4	100.00		5.00	5.00	5.00	
Cowern Fund	11	3	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Davis, Benjamin	2	2	100.00	9.75	5.00	14.75	6.00	8.75
Davis, Mrs. Dennis, F'd	19	11	100.00	.50	5.00	5.50	5.00	.50

Dillingham, Benja'in C.	22	4	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75
Este, F. F.	43	3	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75
Eames, Jno. G., Fund	50	7	100.00	2.50	5.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
Fay, H. Marie, Mrs.	9	3	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	6.00	2.75
Fay, Manassah	9	2	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	6.00	1.75
Fay, Temple	33	7	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75
Fay, Josiah C.	1-44	2-3	125.00	1.81	6.25	8.06	8.00	.06
Fay, Francis A.	2	11	100.00	5.75	5.00	10.75	10.00	.75
Fay, Mary M.	11	9	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Fay, Benjamin H.	1	3	100.00	3.00	5.00	8.00	6.00	2.00
Fay, George B.	1	5	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Fairbanks, Freeman	10	6	100.00	.75	5.00	5.75	5.00	.75
Fisher, Sarah, Miss	21	4	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	7.00	2.75
Fisher, George C.	43-43½	4	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Follensby, Lyman	54	11	75.00	.43	3.75	4.18	4.00	.18
Follensby, Francis and Edmund Bailly Fund	28	8	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Gilmore, Nelson	43	7	100.00	9.75	5.00	14.75	5.00	9.75
Gibson, John T.	1	6	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Gilbert, Ella Howe Balcome	31	7	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Glidden, Mrs. John	34	11	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	6.00	.75

Guild, E. A.	19	10	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75
Hammond, John W.	23	2	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75
Harrington, Levi	29	7	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75
Haynes, Frank E. and Sawtelle, Henry L.	24	2	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Hervey, W. H. and Moore, Artemus	19	1	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Holmes, Charlotte P. Fund	18	10	100.00		5.00	5.00	5.00	
Hodges, Roswell B., Heirs of	16	10	75.00	.68	3.75	4.43	4.00	.43
Howe, Ashbel	47	3	100.00	5.75	5.00	10.75	8.00	2.75
Howard, Issac	36	9	75.00	.68	3.75	4.43	4.00	.43
Hyde, Harriet	3	10	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Hyde, Abraham, Heirs of	12	3	100.00	1.00	5.00	6.00	5.00	1.00
Jennison, Mary	47	7	100.00	5.25	5.00	10.25	6.00	4.25
Jennison, Joseph	40	3	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Jennison, William	43	6	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75
Johnson, Addison	25	2	100.00	4.25	5.00	9.25	5.00	4.25
Johnson, Lewis F. and Nathan L.	51-52	6	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25

Kaler, Aristed D.	30	7	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Kelley, John	3	13	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Knight and Green	16	6	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Lane, George E.	23	9	75.00	.93	3.75	4.68	4.00	.68
Long, Samuel and Sarah	24	10	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
McCarthy, James	21	12	100.00	5.25	5.00	10.25	6.00	4.25
McQuarrie, A.	1	1	75.00	1.43	3.75	5.18	4.00	1.18
Mills, Emma F.	37	8	100.00	1.15	5.00	6.15	6.00	1.15
Mitchell, Michael	40	9	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	6.00	3.75
Mitchell, D. W., Mrs.	38	11	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	7.00	2.75
Mixer Lot	25	5	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	6.00	3.75
Moore, Susan	19	9	50.00	.12	2.50	2.62	2.50	.12
Morse, Harriet E.	20	3	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Moulton, Fred, Heirs of	50	6	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Murray, Timothy	28	9	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	6.00	.75
Muchmore, William	14	2	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Neal, Harrison	11-1	1-10	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Newton, Adoniram J.	51	11	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	5.00	3.75
Newton, Albro	29	10	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Newton, Charles H.	48	2	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Newton, Curtis	29	3	100.00	6.25	5.00	11.25	7.00	4.25

Newton, Harvey	28	1	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	6.00	.75
Newton, Lincoln,								
Heirs of	27	4	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Newton, Lucy	26	10	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Newton, Stephen and								
Dexter	21	3	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Newton, Sullivan B.	34	8	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	6.00	2.75
Newton, Sylvester	25	3	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
Nichols, Mary A., Mrs.	51	7	100.00	5.25	5.00	10.25	6.00	4.25
Nichols, Horace	17	9	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Nichols, John	24	5	100.00					
Nye David B., and Ed-								
mund B. Kaler	42	7	100.00	1.75	5.00	6.75	5.00	1.75
O'Leary, Otis J.	36	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Oliver, H. Kemble	E	B	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	6.00	1.75
Onthank Charles H.	49.50	3	150.00	4.87	7.50	12.37	8.00	4.37
Onthank, Nahum B.	24	1	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	6.00	1.25
Onthank, W. H. and								
Houghton, Clara I.	21	11	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	6.00	1.25
Parker, Hiram, Mrs.	22	1	75.00	.43	3.75	4.18	3.50	.68
Parker, Charles S.	34	6	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	5.00	2.25
Parmenter, Warren, F'd	30	3	100.00	2.75	5.00	7.75	5.00	2.75

Parmenter, N. B.	8	1	100.00					
Pearl, Lois D.	34	9	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	3.00	.12
Prentiss, Abner	1½-48	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Prentiss, B. F., Mrs.	1½-48	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Ring, Susie S.	37	4	100.00	1.95	5.00	6.95	5.00	1.95
Robinson, J. H., Est. of	A	A	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Rogers, Frederick, and Onthank Fund	51	3	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Safford, Wilbur Pray	44	8	100.00	.35	5.00	5.35	5.00	.35
Salmon, Patrick	8	12	100.00	.75	5.00	5.75	5.00	.75
Sawin, C. B.	25	6	75.00	.68	3.75	4.43	4.00	.43
Sellers, Joseph, Fund	20	10	100.00		5.00	5.00	5.00	
Shuttleworth, Peter, F'd	6	10	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	5.00	1.25
Smith, Isaac, Heirs of	52	3	100.00	4.25	5.00	9.25	6.00	3.25
Smith, Addison, Heirs of	33	11	75.00	.68	3.75	4.43	4.00	.43
Smith, William W.	15	8	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	7.00	2.75
Smith, Samuel A.	33	6	100.00	4.75	5.00	9.75	5.00	4.75
Snow, Ella F.	22	8	100.00	1.25	5.00	6.25	6.00	.25
Sparrowk, John	35	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Stowe, John Fund	41	4	100.00					
Taylor, Abbie A.	45	11	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Taylor, Charles E.	32	12	75.00	.68	3.75	4.13	4.00	.43

Waldron, E. J.	1	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Walker, Lorenzo, Fund	18	5	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Walker, Willard A., F'd	8	10	100.00		5.00	5.00	5.00	
Ward, Ephraim	23	3	100.00	7.25	5.00	12.25	7.00	5.25
Ward, and Boutilier	29	11	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Winchester, William								
A., Fund	23	4	100.00		5.00	5.00	5.00	
Williams, Ella E., and								
Sibley Lot	54	4	50.00	.12	2.50	2.62	2.50	.12
Webster, Horace F.	2	6	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Williams and Marshall								
Lot	16	5	100.00	5.75	5.00	10.75	5.00	5.75
Whiting, Seth	8	3	100.00	3.75	5.00	8.75	6.00	2.75
Whiting, Edward	16	3	50.00	.62	2.50	3.12	2.50	.62
Whittemore, Marshall	15	5	100.00	14.75	5.00	19.75	6.00	13.75
Woodward, F. B., and								
John LeBosquet	6-13	8	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Wood, Charles A.	30-32	9	100.00	.25	5.00	5.25	5.00	.25
Wood, and Onthank	38	9	100.00		5.00	5.00	5.00	
Works, George L.	47-48	6	100.00					
Wright, Francis	21	9	100.00					
Wyman, Hannah W.	52	2A	100.00	2.25	5.00	7.25	5.00	2.25

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1923

Balance uncollected, last report		\$25.95
Taxes abated	\$6.90	
Paid Town Treasurer	19.05	\$25.95

1924

Taxes uncollected, last report		\$2,220.91
Interest collected		173.68
		<u>\$2,394.59</u>
Paid Town Treasurer	\$2,351.39	
Taxes abated	43.20	,2394.59

1925

Taxes uncollected last report		10,352.63
Interest collected		236.00
		<u>\$10,588.63</u>
Paid Town Treasurer	\$6,945.85	
Taxes abated	27.33	
Taxes uncollected	3,615.45	\$10,588.63

TAXES UNCOLLECTED, 1925

Matilda Banks	\$102.51	Sheldon Morrill	2.00
John Beck	223.69	Garabid Surajian	64.99
Arthur Bell	2.00	Edward Nichols	45.20
Judson A. Blake	2.00	J. Wilmer Pleasants	2.00
Archie Blood	8.05	Charles Prest	2.00
Normal Brunell	19.28	Mary C. Quinn	31.68
Angelo Comasini	2.00	Frank A. Rivinius	2.00
Avis Cummings	89.39	F. A. and Emma	
Emily Currie	29.95	Rivinius	131.04
Nelson W. Dix	2.00	John Sealey Est.	215.12
Alice N. Draper	107.42	Oliver Slawson	19.58
Samuel F. Draper	20.16	Harry B. Spurr	210.42
Clifton O. Dyer	66.24	Louise H. Sundberg	81.85
Waldo A. Fay	91.23	Mary and Pearl	
Henry H. Flanders	97.04	Vegina	43.28
Henry H. and Mary		Mabel A. Ward,	
Gray	103.68	balance	147.07
John A. Flynn	20.43	David Watkins	109.25
George Gallivan	2.00	John Watkins	10.35
Pasquale Gazzola	2.00	John L. Watkins	2.00
Antonio Gambetta	2.00	Bruce K. Went-	
Michael Griffin	2.00	worth	48.08
Stephen Hatch	2.00	John L. Welch	16.40
George N. Hall	2.00	Edward C. Wilson	2.00
Khedrian and Asel-		Mabel K. Wright	100.80
bakian	84.41	Thomas Sino	4.88
John W. Luce	19.28	B. & W. St. Rail-	
Bernard McCabe	2.00	way Co.	672.32
Charles A. McDon-		John Dorr	31.68
ald	12.37	Lester R. Brown	32.65
Hugh J. McDonald	41.80	Errors	.05
Charlotte McMas-			
ter	115.33		
Mary A. McMaster,			
now owned by			
Frank McIntire	312.50		
			\$3,615.45

1926

Taxes committed by warrant		\$100,292.90
Taxes added		4.00
Interest collected		104.45
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		\$100,401.35
Taxes abated	\$63.80	
Paid Town Treasurer	85,274.43	
Taxes uncollected	15,063.12	100,401.35
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UNCOLLECTED TAXES, 1926

Misag Aselbakian	223.75	Paul Bosselli	5.00
Joseph E. Aburn	2.00	Joseph D. Brock	3.20
Lewis Aspesi	6.50	William F. Burke	15.80
Joseph R. Bagley,		Charles H. Bullens	2.00
balance	47.90	Walter Burnett	11.75
Lewis Banks	2.00	George Campbell	5.30
Nancy Barney,		George and Jessie R.	
Heirs of	42.75	Campbell	76.50
Matilda Banks	106.82	Edward M. Campbell	2.00
Tony Bartoloni	110.60	Hardy K. Campbell	2.00
Raymond Beals	2.00	Joseph Castagnetti,	
Robert H. Beals	2.00	Heirs of	80.08
Robert H. and Edith		Caesar Carboni	18.25
S. Beals	91.50	Aldo Cibelli	4.10
Chester M. Bean	21.92	Arthur Christian	2.00
William J. Berard	2.00	William Collins	2.00
Ernest Blanchette	4.50	Kate E. Collins	9.00
Donald F. Blood	11.00	Mabel P. Conder	373.25
Melbourn Bond	116.00	Margaret Coyle,	
Primo Borelli	2.00	Heirs of	36.00

Joseph F. Cummings	7.70	Ernest and Luni	
Avis Cummings	90.13	Gasparoni	48.00
Emily M. Currie	21.00	Pasquale Gassola	2.00
Cordaville Woolen		Geo. J. Gebhart	2.00
Co.	3,554.50	John R. Gebhart	6.80
Daniel Daughan	41.00	Harlan E. Geldart	2.00
Eva B. Davis	204.13	Harlan E. and Mary	
Nelson W. Dix	2.00	Geldart	231.28
P. Donahue, Heirs of,		Frank Ginger	2.00
payable by W. H.		Carlotta Goward	19.50
Mace	41.57	Thomas Guthreau	6.50
John Dorr	63.20	Paul Hadley	2.00
Allen H. Draper	27.80	Grace F. Hall	163.20
Alice M. Draper	66.00	Rowena Harding	118.50
S. D. Draper, H's of	27.00	Hart Harris	45.32
Horace S. Drown	2.00	Nellie F. Harris	84.25
Clifton D. Dyer	69.00	Margaret Harri-	
Richard M. Evans	2.00	man	138.13
Waldo A. Fay	2.50	Richard K. Henry	6.63
Waldo A. and Mar-		Richard K. and Ed-	
tha E. May	98.25	na B. Henry	65.25
Walter Fellows	2.00	Fred Holdsworth	2.00
George D. Firmin	2.00	Charles H. Holmes	2.00
John V. Finn, Jr.	176.73	George N. Hull	5.00
Catherine Firmin	15.30	Hazel R. Holmes	114.00
Andy J. Fitzgerald	2.00	Donald R. Hunt	189.46
Henry H. Flanders	113.00	Charles H. Hunt	2.00
Henry H. Flander		John A. and Ger-	
and Mary Gray	108.00	trude M. Hunt	46.05
Arnold L. Forrest	6.50	John A. Hunt	2.00
Ronald M. Forward	4.10	Alma S. Johnson	107.78
Antonio and Mari-		Robert H. Johnson	5.00
ette Gambetti	63.00	Frank S. Kehlwet-	
Antonio Gambetti	2.00	ter	2.00
Raphael Gambetti	2.00	Frank S. and Jean-	
Raphael Gambetti	40.33	ette Kehlweather	14.25
Timothy J. Gallivan	55.63	Guy H. Hutt	2.00
Ernest Gasparoni	2.00	Herbert L. Kimball	6.50
Nicholas Gatto	2.00	Henry King	2.00

Marshall S. Knox	9.20	Chas. E. O'Connell	2.00
Joseph Lanctot	3.50	Edith Oland	78.50
Ernest M. Lanctot	5.00	Chas. I. Parmenter	116.58
John Lauvenzi	9.50	Lena A. Parmenter	130.50
Frank D. Limerick	2.00	Jewell I. Parmenter	82.23
Magdalina Linard- os	208.04	Herbert and Vera Pendleton	77.25
Nicholas Linardos	2.00	Frank Perini	2.00
Leon W. Mace	58.25	Luciana Perini	179.50
John P. Manning	173.13	Louis Pessini	8.60
Thomas F. Manning	38.60	Leo J. Pessini	9.30
Angelo Manceni	2.00	Felix Phillippo	2.00
Garabed Margarian	2.00	William Pinkham	75.63
Leo Mattioli	20.30	William H. Pratt	3.50
Chas. A. McDonald	6.80	Matilda Pratt	38.25
Thomas McDonald	2.00	Mary C. Quinn	33.00
Mary C. McDonald	67.63	William G. Quinn	8.60
Patrick McGovern	2.00	Francis Ramelli	5.30
Richard McHale	156.54	Lazarus Ramelli, Jr.	2.00
Lowell McIntyre	294.50	Frank A. Rivinius	2.00
Hary McMaster	5.30	Frank A. and Em- ma Rivinius	121.75
Adrian McMonigal	54.75	William S. Rivinius	2.00
Charlotte McMas- ter	129.13	Lena F. Rice	57.00
James Minnucci	2.00	Francis Salmon	2.00
Diminic Minnucci	71.75	Rose Salmon	6.00
Henry Mitchell	6.80	Nellie Sanders	72.00
Eugene Montgomery	2.00	John Sealey,	
Harry W. Moore	11.30	Heirs of	105.84
Plato D. Moore,		John Sealey,	
Heirs of	45.75	Heirs of	120.00
Antonio Morrazini	74.90	John Sheridan	2.00
Mihran Margerian	66.13	Ralph E. Smith	63.20
Cora J. Newton	155.75	Axel Sorenson	5.75
Edward L. Nicholas	40.40	Martha M. Stanton	63.38
F. H. Nichols	14.00	Arthur St. Jean	2.00
George B. Nichols		Jas. G. Stockwell	144.78
and Lucy E. Ball	6.00	Roy Strong	2.00
Mary A. Nichols	23.08	John F. Sullivan	63.80

Louise Sundberg	79.25	Bruce K. Went-	
Garabed Surajian	16.37	worth	56.00
Greeley S. Thoits	2.00	Chas. G. Wiles	40.10
Fred Tombarri	2.00	Arlington Wilde	71.00
Fred and Olga		A. E. Wright	260.55
Tombarri	120.30	Antonio Zarega	12.50
Fred C. Twombly	5.30	B. & W. St. Ry.	
Morton Uhlman	2.00	Co.	1,400.65
William Underwood	8.90	Charlotte Blake	194.75
Mary Underwood	13.50	Matthew Boland	24.00
John H. VanHess	26.30	Florence R. Brigham	25.63
Evelyn Van Hess	93.13	Leslie R. Brown	34.00
John J. Vegina	8.90	Chas. E. Butler	158.75
Mary T. Vegina	55.50	A. W. Fitzgerald	119.00
George W. Vickers	2.00	Mary Hayden,	
Edward B. Vickers	31.38	Heirs of	7.50
Harriett Voter	43.63	Abraham and Rose	
Mary Wakling	72.00	Kravitz	3.00
Mabel Ward	169.17	Moore and Marshall	81.00
David Watkins	109.63	James M. O'Brien	43.50
John Watkins	17.09	Chester Parsons	78.25
Helen W. Webster	171.13	Jacob Tarplin	30.00
John C. Welch	18.20	Charles and Owen	
John E. Welch	2.75	Yoksas	3.75
		Nicholas S. Ziko	30.00

Respectfully submitted,

SETH H. HOWES,

Collector

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, 1926

Inventory of State Standards:

One Office Scale

One brass yard measure

Weights: 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 20, 25, 50 lbs.

Weights: $\frac{1}{16}$, $\frac{1}{8}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, 1, 2, 4, and 8 oz.

Dry measures: 1, 2, 4, 8, and 16 qts.

Liquid measures: 1 gill, $\frac{1}{2}$ pint, 1 pint, 1, 2, and 4 qts.

Working Equipment:

Sealer's balance

Twenty-50-lb. weights

Weights: 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 25 lbs.

Weights: $\frac{1}{16}$, $\frac{1}{8}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, 1, 2, 4, and 8 oz.

Dry measures: 1, 2, 4, 8, and 16 qts.

Liquid measures: one 4 qt.

Two glass graduates

One drill

Two seal presses

One desk

One safe

5 gallon gasoline testing measure

1 gallon gasoline testing measure

Number of scales sealed

47

Number of weights sealed

140

Number of liquid measures sealed	10
Gasolene pump stops sealed	62
Gasolene pumps sealed	9
Kerosene pumps sealed	3
Yard sticks sealed	4
Fees received and paid town treasurer	\$26.72

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,

Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN AND MOTH SUPT.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1926.

I find a decided increase in both gypsy and brown-tail moths throughout the Town over last year's scout.

The Latin moth was found in numbers in seven different locations and as this is a hard pest to locate until it starts feeding, I would be pleased to have anyone that observes them on popal willow croak to notify me at once.

As we were able last year to plant 103 Rock Maple trees, at an expense of \$103.00, I would recommend an appropriation of \$100 for that purpose for the coming year.

I have expended as follows:

TREE WARDEN DEPT.

Salary	\$25.00	
Trimming and removing dead trees	762.00	
Tent caterpillar destruction	108.00	
Cutting and burning brush	502.30	
Latin moth	63.00	
Rope	16.63	
Wakefield pruner	6.00	
Saws, axes, wedges and set	25.17	
Stationery	.55	
Wiring horse shed	12.50	
Files, whetstones, etc.	1.20	\$1,522.35

MOTH DEPT.

Labor	,	\$845.50	
Arsenate of lead		355.79	
Team hire		152.00	
Expense at conference		2.30	
Freight and express		8.72	
Creosote		12.65	
Hardware and tools		31.21	
Hose		67.05	
Gasolene		11.62	\$1,486.84

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY BURNETT,

Tree Warden and Moth Supt.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT FOR 1926

Number of volumes in the Library	16,212
Number of volumes added during the year	218
Number of volumes purchased	178
Number of volumes donated	40
Number of volumes delivered, total circulation	11,131
Number of volumes delivered in Southborough	7,895
Number of volumes delivered in Fayville	2,807
Number of volumes delivered in Southville	429
Largest number of books delivered in a month, in Southborough, month of March	832
Largest number delivered in a day, July 10	73
Smallest number of books delivered in a month, February	510
Smallest number of books delivered in a day, July 9	0
Average attendance a month	441
Average attendance a day	17
Fines collected for the year	\$41.04

Books delivered in Southborough in the following classes:

000	General Works	7
100	Philosophy	28
200	Religion	19
300	Sociology	79
500	Natural Science	59
600	Useful Arts	39

700	Fine Arts	35
800	Literature	196
900	History	215
910-919	Travel	112
920	Biography	135
	Fiction	5,071
	Current Periodicals	722

Books delivered among Juveniles in Southborough:

200	Religion	3
300	Fairy tales, etc.	26
500	Natural Science	37
600	Useful Arts	15
700	Fine Arts	20
800	Literature	15
900	History	9
910-919	Travel	4
920	Biography	2
	Fiction	933
	Current Periodicals	114

Fay Library, also known as Southborough Public, is open every day, but holidays and Sundays, from three o'clock to five o'clock, and Wednesday and Saturday evenings, from seven o'clock to nine o'clock.

Books delivered in Southville:

	Adult Fiction	234
	Juvenile Fiction	195
	Total Circulation	429
	Average attendance a month	22

The Library is in the South Union School and is open Saturday evenings, from six o'clock to eight o'clock.

Books delivered in Fayville:

Adult Fiction	1,796
Juvenile Fiction	613
Total Circulation	2,807
Average attendance a month	96

The Library is in the Fayville Hall, and is open Tuesday and Saturday, from three o'clock to four o'clock.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH V. STIVERS,

Librarian.

List of Current Periodicals to be found at Fay Library

America	Ladies' Home Journal
American Boy	Literary Digest
American Cookery	Modern Priscilla
Atlantic Monthly	National Geographic
Child Life	Open Road
Country Gentleman	Pathfinder
Dumb Animals	Popular Mechanics
Garden and Home Builder	St. Nicholas
Good-Housekeeping	Scientific American
Harper's	Scribner's
House Beautiful	World's Work
John Martin	Youth's Companion

Books added during the year at Fay Library

List of Juvenile books added.

Fiction.

Alcott, L. M. Little women.

- Alexander, Charles. Bobbie
 Bates, K. L. Once upon a time.
 Benson, I. E. How Ethel Hollister became a camp-fire girl.
 Bianco, Mrs. M. W. The apple tree.
 Burnett, Mrs. F. E. H. Little Lord Fauntleroy.
 Dodge, Mrs. M. E. M. Hans Brinker.
 Donaldson, Mrs. E. M. In bluebird time.
 Finley, Mrs. M. F. Elsie Dinsmore.
 Garis, H. R. Dick Hamilton's fortune.
 Green, Fitzhugh. Won for the fleet.
 Hutchinson, V. S. Chimney corner stories.
 Kovalsky, O. N. Long legs, big mouth, burning eyes.
 Lofting, Hugh. Doctor Dolittle's caravan.
 McNeil, Everett. Daniel DuLuth.
 Milne, A. A. When we were very young.
 Milne, A. A. Winnie-the-Pooh.
 Morgan, DeJohn. The hero of Ticonderoga.
 Perkins, L. F. The American twins of 1812.
 Putnam, D. B. David goes voyaging.
 Putnam, D. B. David goes to Greenland.
 Sarg, Tony. Tony Sarg's book for children.
 Spyri, Mme. J. The fairy of Intra.
 Stevenson, Mrs. S. Bridget's fairies.
 Underhill, A. F. The rhymes of Goochy Goggles and his pollywog named "Woggles".
 Youmans, Eleanor. Skitter cat.
- Non-Fiction.
- Boy Scouts of America. Official handbook.
 Girl Scouts, Inc. Scouting for girls.
 Hillyer, V. M. A child's history of the world.

List of Adult books added

Fiction.

- Alden, Mrs. G. R. Overruled.
 Arnim, M. A. Introduction to Sally.
 Bacon, Mrs. J. D. Medusa's head.
 Bailey Temple. The blue window.
 Benet, S. V. Spanish bayonet.
 Boyd, James. Drums.
 Brand, Max. Fire-brain.
 Bromfield, Louis. Early autumn.
 Buchan, John. The dancing floor.
 Byrne, D. B. O. Hangman's house.
 Cather, W. S. My mortal enemy.
 Cather, W. S. The professor's house.
 Chesterton, G. K. The incredulity of Father Brown.
 Christie, Agatha. The murder of Roger Ackroyd.
 Clark, E. H. Carib gold.
 Cooper, J. A. Sheila of Big Wreck Cove.
 Crompton, Richmal. Dread dwellings.
 Curwood, J. O. The black hunter.
 Day, H. F. When the fight begins.
 Deping, W. G. Sorrell and son.
 Deland, Margaret. The Kays.
 Dell, E. M. A man under authority.
 Dickens, Charles (a new set was put in, including)
 Barnaby Rudge.
 Bleak House.
 Christmas Books and Amerian notes and Pictures
 from Italy.
 Christmas stories.

- David Copperfield.
 Dombey and son.
 Edwin Drood and Master Humphrey's Clock and
 Reprinted pieces.
 Great expectations and the uncommercial travel-
 ler.
 Letters and speeches.
 The Life of Charles Dickens.
 Little Dorrit.
 Martin Chuzzlewit.
 Miscellaneous papers and plays and poems.
 Nicholas Nickleby.
 Old Curiosity Shop.
 Oliver Twist and Hard times.
 Our mutual friend.
 Pickwick papers.
 Sketches by Boz.
 A tale of two cities and a child's history of Eng-
 land.
 Dumas, A. D. The three musketeers.
 Elton, Godfrey. The testament of Dominic Burleigh.
 Ertz, Susan. After noon.
 Ertz, Susan. Madame Claire.
 Evarts, H. G. The painted stallion.
 Ferber, Edna. Showboat.
 Fisher, D. F. C. Her son's wife.
 Fitzgerald, F. S. K. All the sad young men.
 Fletcher, J. S. Green ink.
 Fletcher, J. S. The safety pin.
 Fletcher, J. S. Sea fog.
 Forbes, Esther. O genteel lady.
 Ford, F. M. Some do not.

- Galsworthy, John. The silver spoon (2 copies).
 Garland, Hamlin. Trail-makers of the middle border.
 Glasgow, E. A. G. The romantic comedians.
 Grey, Zane. Under the Tonto Rim.
 Grey, Zane. The vanishing American.
 Hichens, Robert. The unearthly (2 copies).
 Hutchinson, A. S. M. If winter comes (2 copies).
 Jameson, Storm. Three kingdoms.
 Johnston, Mary. The great valley.
 Kelland, C. B. Rhoda Fair.
 Kipling, Rudyard. Debits and credits.
 Kyne, P. B. The understanding heart.
 Lane, Mrs. R. W. Hill-Billy.
 Lardner, R. W. The love nest.
 Lawrence, D. H. The plumed serpent.
 Lewis, Sinclair. Mantrap.
 Lincoln, J. C. The big mogul.
 Lincoln, J. C. Galusha the magnificent.
 Locke, W. J. Perella.
 Lutz, rs. G. L. H. Coming through the rye.
 McCutcheon, G. B. Kindling and ashes.
 Macaulay, Rose. Crewe Train.
 Masefield, John. Odtaa.
 Millin, Mrs. S. G. Mary Glenn.
 Miln, L. J. Ruben and Ivy Sen.
 Milne, A. A. The red house mystery.
 Montague, C. E. Rough justice.
 Montgomery, L. M. The blue castle.
 Mukerji, D. G. The secret listeners of the East.
 Munn, C. C. Myrtle Baldwin.
 Norris, C. G. Pig iron.
 Noris, Kathleen. Little ships.

- O'Higgins, H. J. Clara Barron.
- Oppenheim, E. P. The golden beast.
- Oppenheim, E. P. Prodigals of Monte Carlo.
- Ostenso, Martha. The dark dawn.
- Parker, H. G. The power and the glory.
- Parish, Anne. The perennial bachelor.
- Pedler, Margaret. Tomorrow's tangle.
- Poole, Ernest. The hunter's moon.
- Rinehart, Mrs. M. R. The bat.
- Rinehart, Mrs. M. R. The red lamp.
- Roberts, E. M. The time of man.
- Sabatini, Rafael. The banner of the Bull.
- Sabatini, Rafael. Bellarion.
- Sabatini, Rafael. The Lion's skin.
- Sabatini, Rafael. The strolling saint.
- Shearer, W. B. Pacifico.
- Stacpoole, H. deV. The house of crimson shadows.
- Stevens, James. Brawnyman.
- Thompson, Sylvia. The hounds of spring.
- Train, A. C. Blind goddess (2 copies).
- Train, A. C. Page Mr. Tutt.
- Van Dyke, Henry. The golden key.
- Webster, H. K. The Corbin necklace.
- Wells, Carolyn. The vanity case.
- Wells, H. G. Christina Alberta's father.
- Wheeler, J. C. There she blows.
- Wilder, T. N. The Cabala.
- Williams, B. A. The silver forest.
- Wren, P. C. Beau Sabreur.

Non-Fiction

000 GENERAL WORKS

Putnam, Herbert. Report of Librarian of Congress for 1925.

Terman L. M. Children's readings.
The Lincoln Library.

100 PHILOSOPHY

Doyle, Sir A. C. The history of spiritualism, 2 vols.

300 SOCIOLOGY

American Legion. Annual proceedings, 1925.

Cook, W. W. American Institutions and their preservation.

Dana, Mass. Vital records to year 1850.

Fryer, Douglas. Vocational self-guidance.

Groton, Mass. Vital records to year 1850.

Lawrence, Mass. Vital records to year 1850.

Nantucket, Mass. Vital records to year 1850. Vol. 2.

Norton, A. A. The first State Normal School.

Mass. General Court. Acts and Resolves 1924, 1925, 1926.

Mass. G. A. R. Journal of the Sixtieth annual encampment.

Mass. Historical Soc. Journal of the House, vol. 7, 1726-27.

Mass. Journal of the House, 1926.

Mass. Journal of the Senate, 1926.

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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
School Committee
OF
Southborough, Massachusetts
For the Year Ending December 31
1926



REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Herewith is presented a resumé of the work of the School Department for 1926, together with the annual reports of the Superintendent of Schools, the Principal of Peters' High School, etc., etc.

Your Committee has had a very active year. Information of general interest is given under the several headings which follow:

A Change in Superintendents

Following serious dissatisfaction with the work of Mr. Harris, a change in District Superintendents became inevitable in September. At a duly-called meeting of the Joint Committee for the Towns of Northborough, Southborough and Berlin a dismissal vote of seven to two (7 to 2) was taken. (Jurisdiction in such matters rests by law with a two-thirds vote of such Joint Committees.)

There is little to add to the public statement issued in October, except that this complaint—the first to be brought by Southborough—was but one of a series on record with the Joint Committee since 1923. Believing that the best interests of the schools demanded an immediate change in Superintendents, your Committee could have been influenced to a different course only through timidity or self-interest.

In December, Mr. Henry G. Blount, out of a number of promising candidates, was accorded an unanimous election as Superintendent by the Joint Committee. His previous record of accomplishment offers the prospect of an efficient and thoroughly modern administration, and the Joint Committee is hopeful that the three Towns will have cause to realize the wisdom of this choice.

At the request of your Committee, Mr. Woodward assumed extra duties during the few weeks in which there was no Superintendent. This was a very satisfactory service, and one which has been thoroughly appreciated by the Committee.

Teaching Staff

In expressing gratitude to the teachers for their co-operation during the year, your Committee wishes to record its real appreciation of efforts expended toward higher standards by members of the teaching staff from the High School through to the primary grades. Special mention should be made of those High School teachers, who, out of their leisure hours, have been willing to undertake special after-school classes.

High School

Class "A" is the classification given the Peters' High School by the State Department of Education, and there is no reason why this standing among the high schools of the state should not be maintained for many years to come.

Maintenance of Buildings

During the past two years larger sums than usual have been spent on repairs. This year at the High School building the remaining classrooms were treated with metal ceilings and sidewalls in combination with North Carolina sheathing, such as was done in the other classrooms and hallways in 1925. The woodwork in these rooms was cleaned and varnished, the metal walls painted. In the sewing and cooking rooms the ceilings are of matched hard pine. These ceilings, as well as the standing finish in both rooms and the corridor had never been treated with filler. This woodwork was thoroughly washed, properly filled and two coats of varnish applied. The walls of both rooms, as well as the corridor connecting the annex with the main building, were washed and painted. The interiors of the High School building and Annex are now in very good condition and should require for upkeep only ordinary outlay.

Concrete steps have been provided at the East and West entrances to the High School Building to replace the badly-decayed wooden steps which have had to be repaired yearly for some time. The treads of the steps were surfaced with Alundum Aggregates to provide a permanent "non-slip" surface and increase durability. Under the platform on the East side a coal room for the storage of soft coal has been provided.

The outside of the South Union School was painted this year. In addition to this three classrooms were

redecorated and two stair rakes tinted. The building is in excellent physical condition.

The Fayville School was also painted outside. Metal eaves trough and drains were put on this building. These will eliminate water coming into the basements during severe storms. The interior of the building received a thorough washing and treatment with varnish and paint. The desks and chairs were cleaned and varnished, also. All repairs have been made in a substantial manner. The vigorous repair program of the past two years has brought our school buildings to a point where they are in very good condition inside and out. The one exception to this is the outside of the High School building, which soon will need repairs to the stucco construction, and painting. Your Committee feels that it is economy to keep buildings in good repair. It believes, also, that no damage will result if the repair of the outside of this building is postponed at least one more year. Doubtless the taxpayers will be glad of a short respite in this connection.

The desks, seats and classroom equipment of all three buildings are up-to-date and in good condition with the exception of one room at the High School. It is the intention of the Committee to replace in 1927 the desks and seats in this room.

Transportation of Pupils

Transportation of pupils is a serious problem. Your Committee realizes that this item is likely to show an increase in cost as transportation conditions change

and the demand for further and better service is presented.

At present out of the total enrollment (362 pupils) 173 are transported in special auto busses (29 from Cordaville-Southville, by Fitzgerald; 23 from the West part, by J. Johnson; 23 from Deerfoot section, by Wells; 74 from Fayville, by Wentworth; 7 to South Union School, by R. Johnson; 17 from Marlborough-Sears Rd. section, by B. & W. busses.

The establishment of motor busses instead of cars on the Marlboro line of the B. & W. materially changed conditions for the pupils from the Fayville District. In September the number of children from Fayville showed an increase, which condition created an overcrowding of the B. & W. busses. To relieve this situation your Committee made a three-year contract with William E. Wentworth of Fayville for transporting the children from that District in his new school bus. The present equipment, however, has not relieved the situation to the entire satisfaction of your Committee, and the matter is receiving further consideration.

As new contracts are entered into, it is the intention of this Committee to work for a material improvement in equipment for transporting our children, in order to provide safer and more comfortable means of conveyance.

School Population

The increased attendance in the lower grades at

Southborough and South Union has overtaxed our classroom facilities, and has necessitated "helper teachers" as noted in the Superintendent's report.

School Sessions

It is the policy of the School Department to keep the schools open every day possible. The question of whether or not children should go to school during inclement weather must be determined by the parents. Unless a storm is unusually severe or the temperature well below zero, average children will not suffer from such experience, provided they are properly shod and clad.

Special Legislation

On the recommendation of the Superintendent the three Towns of the District voted to lengthen the school day by fifteen minutes, beginning in September.

A regulation was adopted by which children over five years of age by January 1 of any school year may be admitted in September to Grade I upon passing an approved test (i.e., showing a mental age of 6 years).

The necessity for providing duly qualified substitutes for absent teachers was recognized last Spring by your Committee and a vote passed requiring the employment of such.

By vote of the Committee Physical Education was introduced to our school system in September. The teaching of Gregg shorthand was also introduced to the High School.

In conclusion, your Committee is much indebted to those patrons of Southborough Schools, who have given the Board the benefit of their advice on certain phases of the work. This applies particularly to a group of Fayville parents and to the 42 residents of the South part of the Town, who have attended meetings of the Committee. Their constructive assistance has been of very definite value to the Board, and is hereby acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,

M. IRENE SALMON,

LEO B. BUNKER,

DANA J. KIDDER,

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Revenue

Apropriated, 1926 Town Meeting	\$46,907.03	
One-half of Dog Tax	276.97	\$47,184.00

Expenditures:

General Control

Salary of Superintendent (part year)	1,168.34	
Salaries of School Committee	300.00	
Attendance Officer	21.85	
School Census (2 years)	50.00	
Work Certificates, issuing of	25.00	
Misc., expenses, telephone, etc.	356.56	1,921.75

Instruction

Salary of principal	3,000.00	
Salaries of teachers	18,661.11	
Pupil teacher expense	63.11	
Other expense	7.70	
Tuition, Trade School	528.58	
Tuition, Continuation School	23.76	
Text Books and Supplies	1,475.91	23,760.17

Operation

Wages of Janitors	3,289.00	
Fuel	3,136.81	
Light and Power	79.94	
Supplies, express, incidentals	178.98	6,684.73

Maintenance

Repairs	4,392.09	
Upkeep and Care of Grounds	402.76	
Replacements	732.77	
Boiler Inspection	15.00	5,542.62

Auxiliary Agencies

Promotion of Health	973.45	
Transportation of Pupils	4,445.00	5,418.45

Fixed Charges

Liability Insurance on Barges	658.94	658.94
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Capital Outlay

New Equipment and expense	612.77	612.77
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Miscellaneous Expenses

Graduation Speaker	15.00	
Engrossing names on Diplomas	15.40	
Printing, ribbon, etc.	21.50	
New Diplomas	40.00	91.90

Manual Training

Salary of Teacher	1,730.00	
Supplies	123.02	
Light and Power	88.50	1,941.52

Total of all expenses for Education	\$46,632.85
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Unexpended balance	551.15
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\$47,184.00

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Southborough:

It gives me pleasure to present the annual report of the schools of Southborough.

The brief and somewhat superficial inspection which I have been able to make in the short time during which I have been with you reveal several things which are worthy of being called to your attention.

First, The condition of school buildings and equipment are most excellent. This has reacted favorably on the morale of pupils and teachers alike.

Second, Buildings are clean and orderly. This reflects credit on the quality of janitorial service. Sanitary conditions, too, are of a high order.

Third, The general administration of the school buildings is of an excellent character. This is revealed in the universal courtesy of school children. I have yet to see a single instance of discourtesy of a pupil to any teacher. On the other hand, I have come into contact with a number of instances of real thoughtfulness and desire for service on the part of school children.

Fourth, The professional attitude of teachers is such that progress for the future is assured. I want to commend the spirit with which the entire teaching

force has reacted to suggestions which they have received and the excellent cooperation which they have given.

Teachers

The teaching force comprises eighteen individuals, of whom fourteen are full time teachers and four part time teachers. One addition was made to the staff in September, Miss Florence Finn, who was assigned temporarily to assist Miss Mary Finn, because of the crowded condition in her grades. Three teachers are new to the group, Miss Frances Massé, teacher of French and History; Miss Marie Bagley, teacher of grades III and IV at the High School building; and Mr. John J. Doyle, instructor in Science and History in the High School. There is real stability in the teaching force and this is certain to eliminate retardation and promote efficiency of the school system.

In addition to the above, Framingham Normal School furnishes student teachers at South Union School and the High School.

The appointment of Miss Mary Hayden, as Music Supervisor, followed the resignation of Mrs. Herbert Kimball, who retired on account of ill health.

Practically all members of the full time teaching corps are graduates of a college or normal school. Thirteen of these have done additional study in the field of education. Four have completed more than a year of study beyond normal school or college, one of whom has had the equivalent of approximately two

years' work. Six teachers have taught ten years or more and only three are without previous experience.

To maintain a teaching corps of experience and ability it will be a wise measure to adopt an adequate salary schedule. I recommend this at an early date, on the basis of service and further professional training.

Book Survey

A survey of books reveals a satisfactory list. Most of the text are modern and a large percentage of the books are in excellent condition. Some of the poorer books ought to be rebound, a few should be replaced with new ones. A series of silent readers is desirable for all grades, a set of literary readers for the seventh and eighth grades, and additional supplementary readers. New civics books ought also be purchased for grade VIII.

School Costs

The following data as to school costs are taken from the report issued by the State Department of Education for the school year 1925-1926. These figures will vary from the figures presented by the school committee, since these will be given for the fiscal year 1926:

EXPENDITURES

Item	Amount	Percent of Total
General control	\$1,766.71	4
Teachers' Salaries	22,082.64	49.8
Text books	1,452.22	3.1

Stationery and supplies	1,860.37	4.2
Janitor service	3,500.00	7.8
Fuel	3,318.00	7.3
Repairs and Replacement	5,148.35	11.5
Libraries	214.60	.4
Health	985.55	2.2
Transportation	4,450.00	10.0
Tuition	74.80	.1
Total for support	44,489.67	
New Equipment	2,045.39	

Grand Total	\$46,535.06	
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Appreciation

Let me express my appreciation of the many helpful acts of the school committee. The sincere co-operation and the desire to help is most heartily appreciated. In turn I wish to tender the members of the Board individually and collectively the best of service that I can render in the interests of better schools.

Herewith I submit the report of Mr. Albert S. Woodward, Principal of Peters' High School. Mr. Woodward has manifested the utmost desire to work for the interests of his pupils and by many helpful suggestions has lightened my work. Allow me to thank the staff under his administration for the good will and earnest work. The reports of the Manual Training and Domestic Science Instructors, as well as that of the School Nurse follow Mr. Woodward's report.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY G. BLOUNT,
Superintendent.

SCHOOL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1926

Number of persons in town between the ages of 5 and 7 years: Boys, 39; Girls, 45; total	84
Number of persons in town between the ages of 7 and 14 years: Boys, 109; Girls, 98; total	207
Number of persons in town between the ages of 14 and 16 years: Boys, 39; Girls, 42; total	81
Total	<u>372</u>

 ATTENDANCE DATA, YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
1926

Total Enrollment	337
Average Membership	316
Average Daily Attendance	295

MEMBERSHIP OF GRADES, APRIL 1, 1926

Grade I.	37
Grade II.	36
Grade III.	39
Grade VI.	45
Grade V.	38
Grade VI.	25
Grade VII.	27
Grade VIII.	25
Grade IX.	10
Grade X.	17
Grade XI.	16
Grade XII.	19
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Total	334

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF PETERS' HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools:
Southborough, Mass.

I hereby submit my report for year ending December thirty-first, nineteen hundred and twenty-six.

The enrollment for the High School is as follows:

Freshmen:	Boys	8
	Girls	20
Sophomores:	Boys	1
	Girls	4
Juniors:	Boys	6
	Girls	11
Seniors	Boys	11
	Girls	6
Total		64

The enrollment of the Grades is as follows:

	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	IV.	VII.	VIII.	T't'l
Boys	8	3	9	16	15	9	13	3	76
Girls	16	10	6	18	13	13	7	6	89
Total	24	13	15	34	28	22	20	9	165

A table of courses offered in the High School and the number of students in each course follows:

Subject	Students	Typewriting III	13
Subject	Students	Typewriting IV	7
English I	28	Stenography III	12
English II	9	Stenography IV	6
English III	16	Home Economics I	18
English IV	16	Home Economics II	4
Biology	16	Mechanical Drawing I	5
Chemistry	13	Mechanical Drawing II	3
Ancient History	26	Manual Training I	5
Elementary Algebra	19	Manual Training II	3
Plane Geometry	3	French I	12
Rev. Mathematics	4	French II	8
Latin I	15	French III	6
Latin II	2	American History	
Latin III and IV	5	and Civics	15
Comercial Arithmetic	13	Bookkeeping III	10
Typewriting II	4	Music, all students	64

The staff of the High School is as follows:

Principal, Albert S. Woodward, Mathematics and Science

Margaret A. Barry, Commercial Subjects

Anne M. Underwood, Latin and English I and II

Frances Massé, French and English III and IV

John J. Doyle, History and Science

Of the class of nineteen hundred and twenty-six, there are several who are pursuing courses along further educational lines; two at Framingham Normal School; one at Northfield Seminary; one at Boston College; one at Dean Academy, and one at Massachusetts Normal Art School.

During the first four months of the present school year, a number of pupils have maintained perfect attendance. The list is as follows:

Elsa G. Faber

Ida L. Brusie

M. Josephine Quinn
 Gladys M. Stockwell
 Phyllis M. Stockwell
 Antoinette St. Jean
 Eunice Kelly
 Charles D. Warner
 Stephen G. Boutillier

Barbara Byrne
 Phillip V. Harrington
 Doris L. Horne
 Ida M. Kaler
 Agnes B. Metcalf
 Eleanora Molloy
 Eleanora H. Beaton

The attitude of the pupils and parents toward regular attendance has been quite gratifying this year, and in consequence, a high percentage of attendance has been maintained for the first four months of the school year, with an average of 26.17%.

The Juniors and Seniors in the College course are doing extra work three school periods a week in French; one day after school in Latin, and one day after school in Review Mathematics.

Athletics in the High School are confined to Basket Ball and Baseball. Scholastic requirements for participation are based on the requirements of the Massachusetts High School Athletic Association. They are as follows: (1) Age limit, not over twenty; (2) a pupil must be passing in fourteen points of prepared school work.

Physical education has been introduced into the High School and grades during the year. The work of the girls is conducted under the direction of Miss Massé, and Mr. Doyle has charge of the work of the boys. In the grades each teacher has her school organized for this work.

The physical education work is one in which every pupil may take part, the main object being to teach

children to play together in a harmonious group, respecting their own rights and the rights of others. In the grades, this group work was carried on during the fall months out-of-doors but during the cold weather, all physical education work is planned for the assembly hall. The results are well worth while.

Owing to the excess of applicants to Bridgewater and Framingham Normal Schools, a new form of admittance by certificate and examination will be in effect this year. It will consist of a scholarship record and a personality record, scholarship to be allowed 75 points for 15 units of work, and personality to be allowed 25 points. The basis for computing the scholarship record will be as follows: a mark of "A" will be allowed 5 points; "B" 4 points; "C" 3 points; and "D" 2 points. The personality record includes 10 characteristics, exclusive of health. In the valuation of these personal characteristics, $2\frac{1}{2}$ points will be allowed for "Superior"; 2, for "Good"; $1\frac{1}{2}$, for "Fair"; and 1 for "Poor".

No pupil will be considered for admission whose total scholarship score is less than 55 points, and whose total score in personality is less than 18 points.

The total combined score for scholarship and personality must be at least 75 points.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the School Committee for their support, and the teachers for their loyalty and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT S. WOODWARD,
Principal.

REPORT OF TEACHER OF MANUAL ARTS

To the Superintendent of Public Schools:

Classes in Manual Arts have been held much as in the past few years, the department being conducted on the General Shop idea, and the work designed being as practical as time and equipment will permit.

The boys manifest a genuine interest, which is evidenced by the number who take advantage of all available time other than regular class periods. It appeals to, and satisfies inborn tendencies that are useful in education, such as the native impulses to construct and decorate—constructive and artistic impulses.

It gives information about, and experience with, tools, materials, processes, and designs that have wide application to every day living.

It helps to make possible learning through doing, and utilizes motor impulses and activities, as a means for carrying useful information.

Its purpose is to cultivate general intelligence, initiative, ambition, and thrift as well as manual skill.

The object is not to exploit a particular trade, not to make mechanics, but to show through work with a variety of tools, materials, and observation, that by study boys can get information and experience that will be helpful at the time and in later life. It also lends inspiration and assistance to other school work.

The boys make articles to satisfy definite needs, such as: sandpaper blocks, hat racks, watch holders, necktie racks, candle holders, shades, wooden spoons, bread boards, spool holders, boxes, weather vanes, stools, book-ends, desk sets, magazine stands, sail and toy motor boats, boot-blackening stands, radio tables, cabinets, radio equipment, electric lamps, and shades. The pieces mentioned are some of those made in bench work.

In the lathe (turning) are made: chisel handles, mallets, candle sticks, card receivers, napkin rings, boxes, smokers' stands with metal parts, electric lamps, and shades.

The boys are encouraged to make minor repairs on home and school articles, and each year finds such things as home tools put into condition, skates sharpened, sleds repaired, etc.

Respectfully submitted,

J. AUGUSTUS PRENDIVILLE,

Teacher of Manual Arts.

REPORT OF TEACHER OF COOKING AND SEWING

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Many things are included in the subject of Cooking besides the actual preparation of food. The study of this subject teaches good habits of work in the kitchen, in preparing the food, washing and drying the dishes, washing towels, cleaning silver, cleaning utensils, sweeping, and dusting. It also includes study of food composition and uses of each food constituent to the body.

The preparation of food has included fruit, vegetables, soups, bread, muffins, salad, eggs, custard, cake, ice cream, meat. These have been used in the serving of simple meals.

A modern electric range was added to our equipment last year, which furnishes us with a much needed extra oven.

There are four classes in Sewing. In the first year class, which starts with the seventh grade, the girls have learned the various stitches and have applied each one as learned, to a combination sewing bag and apron. This is a very simple problem and the next problem is the making of a bungalow apron or dress. This is all done by hand for practise in hand sewing. Later, they learn to use the sewing machine and make one simple garment by machine.

The eighth grade work is done for the most part by machine, with just enough hand sewing to keep in practice. These girls use a commercial pattern and do their own cutting of underwear and simple dresses.

In the first year of High School, they make underwear and dresses, selecting their own commercial patterns, and making alterations as required or desired.

In the Sophomore class the girls choose what they want to make. Usually their underwear and dresses are more elaborate, both in material and design, than those made previously. They often use thin, soft material, sometimes silk, for these dresses. By using a variety of fabrics, they learn that some require more patience and skill than others.

An exhibition of Sewing was held last June. The girls put much time into it and although it was well advertised, few parents attended.

Respectfully submitted,

MARTHA TOWER,

Teacher of Cooking and Sewing.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. Henry G. Blount, Supt. of Schools,
Southborough, Mass.

Dear Sir:—

I herewith submit my report as school nurse for the year ending December 31, 1928.

I have assisted the school physician and school dentist with all physical and dental examinations. Defects, such as enlarged tonsils, adenoids, poor heart and lung action, skin diseases, defective sight and hearing and teeth that need attention have been recorded and parents notified and urged to consult their family physician or dentist, as the case may be. I have had routine inspections for cleanliness and symptoms of infectious skin diseases. Pupils who are excluded for the above are re-examined before being allowed to enter their class rooms. Our children are greatly in need of dental care and I hope that in the near future we may have a dental clinic that will take care of those who need proper attention. This would especially help those who have no regular family dentist.

The principal Health activity in the schools during the past year was the Schick test, given by Dr. Dudley of the State Department of Health. The purpose of

the Schick test is to find out whether or not a child can catch diphtheria. Diphtheria is a Preventable Disease. As science found a means by which dread diseases, such as smallpox and typhoid fever, can be avoided, so now it has found a safe and simple means of preventing diphtheria. The value of vaccination against smallpox has become an accepted fact. Diphtheria is one of the most fatal diseases of childhood, and kills thousands of children each year in our country, while many more suffer the rest of their lives from serious after-effects. But now it is possible to protect your children against diphtheria as you protect them against smallpox. It is a simple and harmless process, and gives lasting protection. It is given on the right arm. The doctor places a drop of harmless liquid in the outer layer of the skin. A control test is made on the left arm in like manner. It takes but an instant to administer, and is harmless and painless. It requires no care and leaves no scar. If, within the next four days, a small, red spot appears on the arm of the child, it shows that there is no natural antitoxin in the blood and proves that the child is susceptible to diphtheria. If no red spot appears, the child is naturally immune. If a person is found susceptible to diphtheria, a protective treatment is given. This also is a safe and simple process. Three injections of toxin-antitoxin (the protective substance) are given, a week apart. At least six months after the treatment, another Schick test is given to make certain that immunity has been established and that the person is safe from diphtheria, even though he may be exposed to it many times. After obtaining the written consent

of parents the Schick test was given to one hundred and twenty-five pupils. Three of these pupils were found to have a natural immunity to diphtheria and therefore needed no further treatment. The remainder were given the protective treatment, and some time during the present school year another Schick test will be given these children to make sure that immunity has been established. I wish to urge all the parents to cooperate with us in this Health Work, and also to ask them to visit the schools and see how well lighted, well ventilated and sanitary they are kept.

I take this opportunity to thank all of the teachers for the wonderful co-operation they have given me. By their health programs they have assisted greatly in this work, the main theme being to teach each individual to use his or her own property, thus avoiding the spread of disease.

Respectfully submitted,

VEDA H. DONLAN,
School Nurse.

DIRECTORY OF TEACHERS

TEACHER	POSITION	EDUCATION
Albert S. Woodward	Principal High School Mathematics	*Tufts College
Margaret Barry	Commercial Subjects	*Malthy Business College
Marie M. Bagley	Grades III, IV, High School	*Framingham Normal
Pearl F. Bigelow	Grades IV, V, VI, Cord'le	*Framingham Normal
John J. Doyle	High School, Science, Hist.	*Bridgewater Normal Boston Univ.
Florence A. Finn	High School, Grade V, Asst.	*Framingham Normal
Mary E. Finn	High School, Grades V, VI.	*Framingham Normal Boston Univ.
Julia F. Gleason	Principal, South Union Grades VII, VIII	*Framingham Normal
Ceciline Lowe	High School, Grades I, II	*Salem Normal
Gertrude L. Madden	High School, VII, VIII	*Bridgewater Normal
Frances Massé	High School, Eng., French	*Mount Holyoke
Margaret Neary	Fayville I, II, III	Framingham Post graduate study
Mary J. Reagan	Cordaville, I, II, III	*Framingham Normal Hyannis Normal
Anne M. Underwood	High School, Eng., Latin	*Emmanuel College
Mary Hayden	Music Supervisor	
Marguerite Peaslee	Drawing Supervisor	
J. A. Prendiville	Manual Arts	*Museum School
Martha Tower	Domestic Arts	*Framingham Normal
*Graduate of		

GRADUATION EXERCISES
of the Class of 1926
PETERS' HIGH SCHOOL

PROGRAMME

MARCH

SONG, "Sing! Sing! Birds on the Wing" Haendel

SALUTATORY Grace Aldith Beals

CLASS HISTORY Hester Louise Johnson

SONG, "Song of the Sea" Nutting

CLASS PROPHECY Jennie Forbes Kelley

CLASS GIFTS Joseph Raymond Skinner

CLASS WILL Sidney Michael MacNeil

PRESENTATION OF SENIOR PRIZE

SONG, "O, Victorious People!" Veazie

ESSAY Elvira Frances Babbitt

VALEDICTORY Elsa Ingeborg Nelson

ADDRESS

Mr. Robert B. Masterson, Examiner School Department, Boston

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

CLASS SONG Words by Arlon G. Esty

MUSICAL DIRECTOR Mrs. Edith Kimball

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CLASS COLORS, Blue and Silver

CLASS MOTTO, "The End Crowns the Work"

CLASS FLOWER, American Beauty Rose

CLASS SONG

Tune: "Auld Lang Syne".

I.

At length the parting hour has come,
For Twenty-six the last,
To friends and school we bid adieu,
Where happy days have passed.

CHORUS:

Farewell, dear school mates, friends to you,

We say farewell the last.

To our dear School we say farewell,

Where happy days have passed.

II.

As into the wide world we go,

Each one in search of fame,

O' may the lessons we have learned

Prove more than a mere name.

CHORUS:

III.

And when life's lessons bravely learned,

We walk the narrow way,

May we all meet in that blest place,

The land of perfect day.

CHORUS:

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